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## ITALY EXPECTED TO ENTER WAR IN FEW DAYS

Associated Press Correspondent, After Tour of Border, Says Belief Is General Conflict Cannot Be Much Longer Delayed.

Italians Ordered to Join Regiments Immediately—Austro-German Troops Concentrated in Tyrol.

Allied Offensive Near Arras Brings Further Gains, Menacing the German Communications.

ON THE ITALIAN FRONTIER, May 11.—(Via Paris, 11:40 a. m.) The opinion prevails in Rome that Italy's participation in the war is only a question of days. Along the Austrian front, where the correspondent of the Associated Press has been from one end of the line to the other, it is universally felt that war is a question only of hours.

GENEVA, Switzerland, May 11.—All Italian officers and men in Switzerland up to the age of 34 were ordered yesterday to rejoin their regiments immediately.

Austrian and Bavarian forces are concentrating in the Tyrol.

Automobiles belonging to the Italian royal family which had been assembled at Nonna, near Milan, were sent to Verona yesterday for the use of the army.

Shipments of freight from Italy to Germany through Switzerland virtually have ceased. Italian passenger train service to points on the Swiss frontier is diminishing daily.

PARIS, May 11.—It is being persistently rumored in Paris that Germany and Austria-Hungary have already declared or are about to declare war on Italy in anticipation of such action on her part directed against themselves. This report, however, has received no confirmation of any kind.

Another rumor current on the bourse today was that the Italian Government had signed an agreement with the allies—Great Britain, France and Russia—to take part in the war not later than May 25. This rumor also is without confirmation.

French observers of the political situation in Italy infer from the audience yesterday before King Victor Emmanuel and former Prime Minister Giolitti that the nonintervention party in Italy has determined to withdraw all opposition to the war.

Parties Would Be United.

Consequently the Italian parties would be united in support of a war policy. In the judgment of French observers, based on two fundamental considerations, namely, that wrongs have been done to Serbia and Belgium and that the racial aspirations of the Italians on the eastern shore of the Adriatic and in the Mediterranean now can be satisfied.

Military writers are presenting the argument that war for Germany and Austria on a third frontier undoubtedly will make the resistance of the Central Empires on their other fronts more feeble—so much so that with the advent of Italy, victory over Germany is set for the middle of the summer.

Conflict Seems Unavoidable, Though Negotiations Continue.

ROME, May 11.—Although negotiations with the Central empire still are pending and there is a bare possibility the influence of former Premier Giolitti may avert war, military preparations pointing to Austria as an inevitable antagonist are so thorough and vigorous that a conflict seems unavoidable.

Discussions among the irreconcilable Socialists, whose deputies met in the chamber today, still oppose Italy's participation in the war, but their attitude is believed to be guided more by a desire for consistency than by a desire of opposition to a war.

Andreas Hermes, head of the section of plant diseases in the International Institute of Agriculture, who had returned to resume his post after a leave of absence, was sent home on the next train by the police, who are said to have learned that he is connected with the German General staff.

The Agency National says Emperor William has written to Dowager Queen Margherita, mother of King Emanuel, pointing out advantages he believes would accrue to Italy should it remain neutral and urging her to intervene to avoid conflict with Austria.

The widow of King Hubert is quoted as having replied to the German ruler: "In the house of Savoy we reign one at a time."

PARIS STIRRED BY ITALIAN RUMOR

PARIS, May 11.—Continued gains resulting from the allied offensive in progress around Arras, which is said in fact to have been undertaken with four new army corps, are announced.

## CUNARD COMPANY CANCELS SAILING OF MAURETANIA

Sister Ship of the Lusitania Was to Have Left London on May 29.

LONDON, May 11.—The sailing of the Cunard Line steamer Mauretania, sister ship of the Lusitania, advertised for May 29 from this city, has been cancelled.

The steamship Mauretania recently had been doing duty as an auxiliary cruiser in the British navy, and it also has been reported that she has been used as a transport for troops. It had been the intention of the Cunard Line to have the vessel resume her regular passenger service between New York and Liverpool at the end of the present month, when she was to begin a fortnightly service across the Atlantic, alternating with the Lusitania.

Cunard Line Cancels Sailings From New York Saturday.

NEW YORK, May 11.—It was announced today there will be no sailing of Cunard steamships for the United States on Saturday.

Announcement was also made today at the Cunard offices that the Anchor liner Tuscania, with 341 passengers, sailed from Glasgow Saturday and from Liverpool Sunday for New York. This is the first large passenger steamer to sail from the British Isles for the United States since the sinking of the Lusitania.

The Tuscania passenger ship was made up of 36 in the first class cabin, 130 in the second, and 175 in the steerage.

POPE SAID TO HAVE DEPLORED KAISER'S 'INHUMAN METHODS'

Emperor Warned by Vatican to Beware of God's Vengeance, Dispatch From Rome Declares.

CHICAGO, May 11.—The Daily News publishes the following dispatch from Rome:

"The sinking of the Lusitania has caused a feeling of violent indignation and anti-German hatred through Italy—a feeling which is increased by the fact that owing to the forthcoming war Italian transatlantic liners probably will be exposed to similar lawless attack. The prevailing conviction here is that America will punish Germany for the useless sacrifice of innocent lives and that all the neutral nations of the world and those now fighting against Germany and Austria will be prepared to aid America if necessary."

"Pope Benedict has telegraphed to Kaiser Wilhelm deploring the inhuman methods employed by Germany as unjustified even by the necessities of war, and warning him to beware of God's vengeance. The Pope's appeal to the Kaiser's humanity, it is hoped at the Vatican, will cause Germany to abandon the practice of sinking passenger ships."

BROTHER LOST, MANUFACTURERS WILL MAKE WAR MUNITIONS

Connecticut Electric Company to Donate Its Plant to Federal Supplies to the Allies.

NEW BRITAIN, Conn., May 11.—Determined to avenge the death on the Lusitania of Isaac B. Trumbull of Bridgeport, the Trumbull Electric Co. is planning to devote its large plant in Plainville to the manufacture of war munitions for the allies.

Isaac Trumbull was treasurer of the American Cycle Car Co. and a brother of President Trumbull and other officials of the electric company.

"We are now figuring on the necessary machinery for the manufacture of war munitions which we will sell to the allies," said President Trumbull today. "We have received offers to manufacture rifle parts and shrapnel at fancy prices. The business killing of our brother has determined us as to the future."

"TOO PROUD TO FIGHT" IN HUGE LETTERS PLACARDED IN LONDON

"Germany Does Not Understand This Kind of Righteousness," the Evening Standard Says.

LONDON, May 11.—The words "Too Proud to Fight" cover in huge letters most of the placards displayed on the streets of London today to advertise the evening papers of the city.

The text of President Wilson's speech at Philadelphia last night, printed here today, reached London too late for general comment as yet. The Evening Standard in an editorial remarks:

"President Wilson is a high-minded man and we can understand what he meant by this rather unpolitical remark. Unfortunately Germany does not understand this kind of righteousness. If America could only, as the President says, convince Germany of her injustice to mankind, how dignified and useful would be her position as a neutral."

BANQUET TO INTERNED GERMAN OFFICERS ABANDONED

Promoters Cal Washington Affair Off Because of the Lusitania Disaster.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—A banquet and reception for the officers of the interned German commerce raiders Kronprinz Wilhelm and Prinz Eitel Friedrich, which was to have been held here within the next few days, has been abandoned by its promoters.

Word has been sent to the officers at the Norfolk navy yard that because of the Lusitania disaster it was thought best not to carry out the plan.

## MAN KILLED WHEN AUTO OVERTURNS IN 10-FOOT DITCH

Three Others Are Pinned Under Car in Accident Near Edwardsville, but Escape.

GASOLINE INJURES EYES

It Trickles Onto Autoist Until He Is Released From Under Machine.

Sam Renner, 42 years old, a contractor of Livingston, Ill., northeast of Edwardsville, was killed at 3 o'clock this morning, when an automobile owned and driven by George Skamanta, a coal miner, in which Renner and two others were passengers, was overturned in a ditch three miles north of Livingston.

All four men were caught under the machine, and Andrew Evans' eyes were seriously affected by gasoline, which trickled into them. Evans, Skamanta and Andy Havanec were bruised and cut.

When the three others extricated themselves, it was found that Renner's neck had apparently been broken. He was caught in such a way that the side of the car rested on his neck. His body was taken to the town hall in Williamston, a small settlement near the scene of the accident. He had a wife and four children.

Skamanta, who sometimes uses his automobile in a business way, took passenger to Bend yesterday afternoon, and took his three friends with him for company. They started back about midnight. The road is being repaired with clinders at the scene of the accident, and Skamanta, to avoid the clinders, ran too far to the side of the roadway, causing the car to be precipitated over a 10-foot embankment.

KANSAS CITY DISTILLERS HELD ON CHARGE OF \$70,000 FRAUD

25,000 Gallons of Moonshine Whisky Said to Have Been Consigned to Them From Fort Smith, Ark.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 11.—Charges of a conspiracy to defraud the United States Government out of about \$70,000 in revenues on distilled spirits were made by Federal officials here today in connection with the arrest yesterday of Guy L. Hartman, George Hartman and John F. Farabee.

The men are connected with a distilling company here to which was consigned, it is alleged, about 25,000 gallons of whisky said to have been manufactured illicitly in Fort Smith, Ark., where recent arrests were made on the charge of operating a moonshine still in the heart of that city.

The three men arrested here pleaded not guilty. Their preliminary hearing was set for May 21.

FROG CAUSES PANIC ON TRAIN

It Was One of Plains Creek Variety and Looked Ferocious.

A Plains Creek bullfrog, which hopped a crowded Chicago, Peoria & St. Louis passenger train at Look Haven, threw the women and children into a panic.

The Plains Creek bullfrogs are about as big as bullfrogs ever get to be and when this one invaded a coach filled with St. Louis passengers Sunday evening, many of them did not know what the varmint was and sought safety on the backs of the seats. The frog was as badly frightened as they, but they did not know it and as it hopped about the car looking for a place to get off they supposed it was prompted by a ferocious disposition and would bite them if they did not look out. A brave man chased the frog out to the platform and it leaped back into the creek.

FAIR TONIGHT AND TOMORROW WITH MILD TEMPERATURE

THE TEMPERATURES.

5 a. m. . . . . 56 12 noon . . . . . 72  
8 a. m. . . . . 57 10 a. m. . . . . 70  
9 a. m. . . . . 58 11 a. m. . . . . 70  
10 a. m. . . . . 60 2 p. m. . . . . 73

Yesterday's Temperatures.

High . . . . . 74 at 4 p. m. Low . . . . . 51 at 8 a. m.

Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Fair tonight and tomorrow; mild temperatures; fresh southerly winds.

Missouri—Fair tonight and tomorrow; mild temperatures; not much change in temperature.

Illinois—Fair tonight and tomorrow; not much change in temperature.

Stage of the river: 12.4 feet; a fall of 2 of a foot.

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## President Wilson's Address

"A man who thinks of himself as belonging to a particular national group in America has not yet become an American."

"My advice is not only always to think first of America, but always also to think first of humanity."

"There is such a thing as a man being too proud to fight. There is such a thing as a nation being so right that it does not need to fight to convince others by force that it is right."

To Naturalized Americans

FOLLOWING is the stenographic copy of President Wilson's Philadelphia address:

"It warms my heart that you should give me such a reception, but it is not of myself that I wish to think tonight, but of those who have just become citizens of the United States. This is the only country in the world which experiences this constant and repeated birth. Other countries depend upon the multiplication of their own native people. This country is constantly drinking strength out of new sources by the voluntary association with it of great bodies of strong men and forward-looking women. And so by the gift of the free will of independent people it is constantly being renewed from generation to generation by the same process by which it was originally created. It is as if humanity had determined to see to it that this great nation, founded for the benefit of humanity, should not lack for the allegiance of the people of the world."

"You have just taken an oath of allegiance to the United States. Of allegiance to whom? Of allegiance to no one, unless it be God. Certainly not of allegiance to those who temporarily represent this great government. You have taken an oath of allegiance to a great ideal, to a great body of principles, to a great hope of the human race. You are living, we are going to America, not only to earn a living, not only to seek the things which it was more difficult to obtain where you were born, but to help forward the great enterprises of the human spirit—to let men know that everywhere in the world there are men who will cross strange oceans and go where a speech is spoken which is alien to them, knowing whatever the speech there is but one longing and utterance of the human heart, and that is for liberty and justice. And while you bring all countries with you, you come for the purpose of leaving all other countries behind you—bringing what is best of their spirit, but not looking over your shoulder and seeking to perpetuate what you intended to leave in them. I certainly would not be one even to suggest that a man cease to love the home of his birth and the nation of his origin—these things are very sacred and ought not to be put out of our hearts—but it is one thing to love the place where you were born and it is another thing to dedicate yourself to the place to which you go. You cannot dedicate yourself to America unless you become in every respect and with every purpose of your will thorough Americans. You cannot become thorough Americans if you think of yourselves in groups. America does not consist of groups. A man who thinks of himself as belonging to a particular national group in America has not yet become an American; and the man who goes among you to trade upon your nationality is no worthy son to live under the stars and stripes."

"My urgent advice to you would be not only always to think first of America, but always also to think first of humanity. You do not love humanity if you seek to divide humanity into jealous camps. Humanity can be welded together only by love, by sympathy, by justice, not by jealousy and hatred. I am sorry for the man who seeks to make personal capital out of the passions of his fellow men. He has lost the touch and ideal of America, for America was created to unite mankind by those passions which lift and not by the passions which separate and debase. We came to America, either ourselves or in persons of our ancestors, to better the ideals of men, to make them see finer things than they had seen before, to get rid of things that divide and to make sure of the things that unite. It was but an historical accident no doubt that this great country was called 'the United States,' and yet I am very thankful that it has the word 'United' in its title; and the man who seeks to divide man from man, group from group, interest from interest, in the United States is striking at its very heart."

"It is a very interesting circumstance to me in thinking of those of you who have just sworn allegiance to this great Government that you were drawn across the ocean by some beckoning finger of hope, by some belief, by some vision of a new kind of justice, by some expectation of a better kind of life."

"You, no doubt, have been disappointed in some of us. Some of us are very disappointing. No doubt you have found that justice in the United States goes only with a pure heart and a right purpose, as it does everywhere else in the world. No doubt, what you found here did not seem touched for you, after all, with the complete beauty of the ideal which you had conceived beforehand. But remember this, if you had grown at all poor in the ideal, you brought some of it with you. A man does not go to seek the thing that is not in him. A man does not hope for the thing that he does not believe in, and if some of us have forgotten what America believed in, you, at any rate, imported in your own heart a renewal of the belief. That is the reason that I, for one, make you



PRESIDENT WOODROW WILSON.

welcome. If I have in any degree forgotten what America is intended for, I will thank God if you will remind me. I was born in America. You dreamed dreams of what America was to be, and I hope you brought the dreams with you. No man that does not see visions will ever realize any high hope or undertake any high enterprise. Just because you brought dreams with you, America is more likely to realize the dreams such as you brought. You are enriching us, if you come expecting us to be better than we are.

"See, my friends, what it means; it means that Americans must have a consciousness different from the consciousness of every nation in the world. I am not saying this with even the slightest thought of criticism of other nations. You know how it is with a family. A family gets centered on itself if it is not careful and is less interested in the neighbors than it is in its own members. So a nation that is not constantly renewed out of new sources is apt to have narrowness and prejudice of a family, whereas America must have this consciousness, that on all sides it touches elbows and touches hearts with all the nations of mankind. The example of America must be a special example. The example of America must be the example not merely of peace because it will not fight, but of peace, because peace is the healing and elevating influence of the world and strife is not. There is such a thing as a man being too proud to fight. There is such a thing as a nation being so right that it does not need to convince others by force that it is right."

"So if you come into this great nation as you have come, voluntarily seeking something that we have to give, all that we have to give is this. We cannot exempt you from work. No man is exempt from work anywhere in the world. I sometimes think he is fortunate if he has to work only with his hands, and not with his head. It is very easy to do what other people give you to do, but it is very difficult to give other people things to do. We cannot exempt you from the strife and the heart-breaking burden of the struggle of the day—that is common to mankind everywhere; we cannot exempt you from the loads that you must carry; we can only make them light by the spirit in which they are carried. That is the spirit of hope, it is the spirit of liberty, it is the spirit of justice."

"When I was asked, therefore, by the mayor and the committee that accompanied him to come up from Washington to meet this great company of newly admitted citizens, I could not decline the invitation. I ought not to be away from Washington and yet I feel it has renewed my spirit as an American. In Washington men tell you so many things that are not so, and I like to come and stand in the presence of a great body of fellow-citizens whether they have been a long time or a short time and drink, as it were, out of the common fountain with them and go back feeling that you have so generously given me the sense of your support and of the living vitality in your hearts, of its great ideals, which make America the hope of the world."

## GERMANY'S DEFENSE HOLDS THAT VISIT AND SEARCH IS IMPOSSIBLE

Says British Merchant Ships' Practice of Trying to Ram Submarines Prevents It.

CABINET IN A THREE-HOUR SESSION ON LUSITANIA CASE

Bernstorff Presents to State Department Germany's Formal Expression—President Says Philadelphia Speech Was Not an Expression of His Policy.

Text of Germany's Defense

THE following dispatch has been sent to the German Embassy at Washington:

Please communicate the following to the State Department:

The German Government desires to express its deepest sympathy at the loss of lives on board the Lusitania. The responsibility rests, however, with the British Government, which, through its plan of starving the civilian population of Germany, has forced Germany to resort to retaliatory measures.

In spite of the German offer to stop the submarine war in case the starvation plan was given up, British merchant vessels are being generally armed with guns and have repeatedly tried to ram submarines so that a previous search was impossible.

They cannot, therefore, be treated as ordinary merchant vessels. A recent declaration made to the British Parliament by the Parliamentary Secretary, in answer to a question by Lord Charles Beresford, said that at the present practically all British merchant vessels were armed and provided with hand grenades.

Besides, it has been openly admitted by the English press that the Lusitania on previous voyages repeatedly carried large quantities of war material. On the present voyage the Lusitania carried 5400 cases of ammunition, while the rest of the cargo consisted chiefly of contraband.

If England, after repeated official and unofficial warnings, considered herself able to declare that this boat ran no risk and thus lightly assumed responsibility for human life on board a steamer which, owing to its armament and cargo, was liable to destruction, the German Government, in spite of its heartfelt sympathy for the loss of American lives, cannot but regret that Americans felt inclined to trust English promises rather than to pay attention to the warnings from the German side.

(Signed) FOREIGN OFFICE.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—The President and the Cabinet, which met together today for the first time since the sinking of the Lusitania, had before them Germany's official defense of the torpedoing of the liner. Count von Bernstorff, the German Ambassador, accepting as authentic the text of Germany's formal expression received in news dispatches from Berlin, formally presented the statement to the State Department.

In a word the German defense is:

1. The practice of British merchant vessels in trying to ram submarines makes impossible the old custom of visit and search.

2. At present practically all British merchant vessels are armed at least with hand grenades and the Lusitania carried contraband of war.

3. Germany's warnings to Americans not to travel in the war zone on vessels flying the flags of Germany's enemies were not heeded.

Speech Not Expression of Policy.

President Wilson returned here at 2:35 a. m. today from Philadelphia, where he addressed an assemblage of naturalized Americans last night and received a tremendous ovation.

At the White House, later, he said his speech in Philadelphia last night was not a declaration of policy in reference to the Lusitania disaster; that he was not thinking of any special matter, but of the newly naturalized Americans in his audience.

The President used the expression that he was thinking of the "Cain" some people were trying to raise.

The President said he would make a decision on the policy to be followed in the Lusitania case as soon as he had all the elements in mind. For the present he had nothing to add, he said, to his statement last Saturday night, which was that he "was considering very earnestly but very calmly the right course of action to pursue," and that he knew the country expected him to "act with deliberation as well as with firmness."

The President made it clear that he was expressing a personal attitude and not referring to any specific case. That led to the belief in many quarters that the President had not reached a decision in the Lusitania case and was speaking his personal feelings as to the ideal the United States should have in this situation, as well as other phases of the world-wide war. It was taken that he was endeavoring to explain

broadly that the United States should seek to serve the cause of humanity by using its influence to secure an adherence to the rules and principles of international law wherever they have been contravened.

Although the general trend of comment was one of surprise at the limitation which the President placed today on the interpretation of his speech, those who have followed his speeches closely pointed out that Wilson frequently has spoken implicitly rather than explicitly.

While his Philadelphia audience was impressed with the belief that the President was referring specifically to the Lusitania tragedy, the President indicated by his remarks today that he meant his speech to be broader than a single incident and to cover the entire subject of foreign relations as well as the subject of domestic solidarity with reference to the aliens who have become naturalized in America.

At the usual hour, the Cabinet began arriving for the first conference with the President since last Friday. Whether the President would take up the Lusitania tragedy was something which none of the secretaries themselves seemed to know.

In Session Nearly Three Hours.

The Cabinet was in session nearly three hours, the longest meeting held in several months. None of the members would deny that the Lusitania incident had been discussed, but all refused absolutely to comment.

Secretary Bryan, pressed with ques-



OUR BALL TEAMS ARE NON-COMBATANTS



## QUEENSTOWN HATLESS AS LONG PROCESSION OF LUSITANIA'S DEAD PASSES

mons, declared: "We must not discuss what occurs at Cabinet meetings."

Secretary Daniels, asked whether the Atlantic fleet would pass through the Panama Canal in July in accordance with previously announced plans, replied: "I cannot discuss that or any other question now." Daniels was asked whether the review of the Atlantic fleet planned for next week in New York would be held. Yesterday in Philadelphia he denied that plans would be changed. Today he answered: "I cannot discuss that."

At the White House no intimation was forthcoming as to whether the President had decided on a course.

Dispatch From Grand Received.

A dispatch from Ambassador Gerard at Berlin was received today and sent to the President but its contents were not revealed. The evidence given by Capt. Turner of the Lusitania before the coroner's jury has been reported to the State Department and will be used by officials in their study of the case.

Chairman Stone of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee discussed the Lusitania disaster with the President before the cabinet. He said he was not sure he had no expectation that an extra session of Congress would be called.

"I am for peace with honor," said Senator Stone. "I do not know what the President plans to do about the Lusitania. It is his problem and it is useless for others to attempt to advise him."

Senator Stone said he favored passage of the Government ship purchase bill which passed in the last Congress. Such a step, he said, would provide American ships to carry American passengers and goods. He added that he took it for granted that the United States would find means to protect its own ships.

Senator La Follette, another White House caller, opposed the suggestion that diplomatic relations with Germany be broken off. "I am for peace," said Senator La Follette. "I want the United States to take a firm stand, but I am opposed to war."

The Philadelphia speech was interpreted by official Washington nevertheless as meaning that whatever course is pursued the United States probably would endeavor to serve the cause of humanity by appealing to Germany to end her submarine warfare against unarmed merchant ships carrying non-combatants.

Appeal to Kaiser Possibility.

In some other quarters suggestion was made that the President might forego the usual means of diplomatic correspondence and address a message in person to Emperor William. It was pointed out by persons hither to in the President's confidence that he might first try to prevent a recurrence of such an attack as was made on the Lusitania, taking up subsequently the question of reparation for the loss of American lives.

Germany's disavowal of any intention to destroy lives was looked upon by many officials as significant of Germany's desire to maintain friendly relations with the United States and that her main purpose was to terrorize Great Britain and paralyze transatlantic travel.

When the German Ambassador left Secretary Bryan's office he said he had delivered the message forwarded from Berlin. Secretary Bryan came out of his office with an arm full of documents.

"The Ambassador has just delivered to me a note from his Government, which was carried in the press dispatches last night," said the Secretary, pointing to a document in his hands, which he took with him to the Cabinet meeting.

Testimony of Chief Officer Smith of the American steamer Guilford, which was torpedoed, but not sunk, was received today by the State Department. Both Smith and Consul Agent Blueford, in a statement dated yesterday week, stated that the Guilford was sailing a large American flag and was torpedoed without warning.

WOMAN FATALLY INJURED JUST AFTER PAYING LIFE INSURANCE

Mrs. Minnie Niehoff, 72, struck by Grand Avenue Street Car, Dies in Christian Hospital.

Mrs. Minnie Niehoff, 72 years old, of 3604 A. Bacon street, was struck by a south-bound Grand avenue car at Palm street, yesterday afternoon, 10 minutes after she had paid a life insurance premium at the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co.'s branch office, Grand avenue and Palm street. She died at the Christian Hospital at 4:30 o'clock of fracture of the skull and other injuries.

M. A. Martindale of 5313 Pennsylvania avenue, the motorist, said he was running at the rate of about 25 miles an hour, when Mrs. Niehoff, crossing Grand avenue from east to west stepped back in front of his car to avoid a north-bound automobile. He was arrested on a charge of felonious wrongdoing, and released on a common-law bond.

When taken to the hospital the only means of identifying the woman was the life insurance policy, clutched tightly in her hand.

Bishop Maes Dies at Covington, Ky. CINCINNATI, May 11.—Bishop Maes of Covington, Ky., a noted Catholic prelate, died early today. He had been Bishop of Covington since 1885, and was completing a 50th year of episcopacy there. He was permanent president of episcopal congresses.

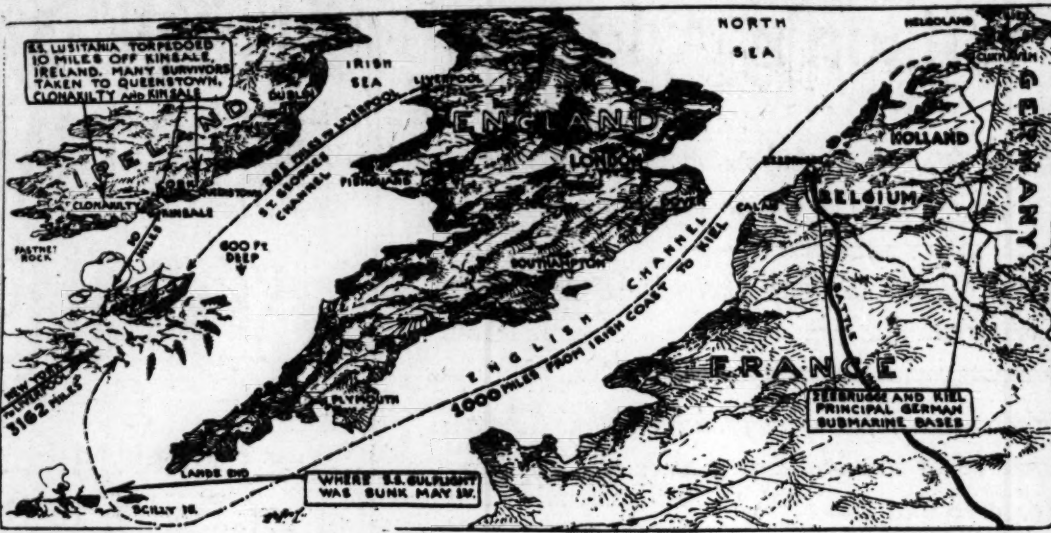
FOLK FOR GOVERNOR BUREAU

No Headquarters is Somewhere in Kansas City.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 11.—A Folk-for-Governor Bureau has been opened somewhere in Kansas City to feel out the public on his candidacy for Governor in 1916. The country press is being caricatured with a clipping from the Hamilton Farmer's Advocate, urging the Folk claims for another term at Jefferson City.

Plain envelopes are being used by the campaign managers, and, aside from the postoffice stamp on the envelope, there is nothing to show where the Folk publicity bureau is located.

## Map Showing Where Lusitania and American Ship Gulfight Were Torpedoed and German Naval Base



The German naval base is at Cuxhaven and it is presumed the German submarines have operated from that point. To do so they have to travel more than 2000 miles to reach the Irish coast and then to return home after accomplishing their missions.

## PRESIDENT STIRS GREAT CROWD TO ENTHUSIASM

Philadelphia Speech, With Peace As Keynote, is Applauded by 15,000 Persons—Street Throgs Give Ovation.

PHILADELPHIA, May 11.—"Humanity first," was the keynote which 15,000 persons caught last night in the address by President Wilson to an audience which included 1000 naturalized citizens who just had taken the oath of allegiance to the United States. It was the first public utterance of the President since the sinking of the Lusitania and was taken to intimate the views and probable course of action by the Executive toward that disaster which cost more than 100 American lives.

While the President made no direct reference to the Lusitania, some of his address bore on this count. His attitude in regard to peace. This sentiment by him was regarded as particularly expressive:

"There is such a thing as a man being too proud to fight. There is such a thing as being so right that it does not need to convince others by force that it is right."

Great Crowd Applauds Him.

Often the President was interrupted by spontaneous outbursts of applause. He spoke clearly, and so quiet was his audience that he could be heard distinctly in all parts of the great hall. Everywhere the red, white and blue flag and bunting was displayed and a band during the evening played patriotic airs. Some of the passages in his speech which the crowd applauded most loudly were these:

"I am sorry for the man who seeks to make personal capital out of the passions of his fellow-man. He has lost the touch and ideal of America, for America was created to unite mankind by the passions that lift and unite and not by the passions that separate and debase mankind."

"The man who seeks to divide man from man, group from group, interest from interest, in the United States, is striking at its very heart."

In introducing the President, Mayor Blankenburg said:

"I present to you—God bless him—the President of the United States."

There was a tremendous ovation as the President finished his speech. At the President's return to the station and entered his private car, departing for Washington at midnight.

President Closely Guarded.

Because of the present status of international affairs, extraordinary precautions have been taken to guard the President during his stay in Philadelphia. Seven hundred and fifty police-men were detailed for this duty. Seven detective agencies, a personal body-guard for Mr. Wilson and rods directly behind through the streets. In addition hundreds of policemen led the procession and brought up in the rear.

The street was lined with automobile loads of people, who shouted a noisy welcome. Thousands of people lined the sidewalks. The handclapping and cheering was almost constant. Women waved handkerchiefs from the windows and balconies, and everywhere the expression given the nation's chief magistrate was one of enthusiasm and warmheartedness. He bowed, raised his hat and smiled gratefully.

When the President reached convention hall, he was escorted to a seat by Mayor Rudolph Blankenburg. He found Secretaries Wilson and Daniels on the platform. The hall was densely packed. Little American flags were held by thousands who stood and waved and cheered as the President entered. The hall was decorated profusely with red, white and blue.

"Let us unite in singing America," were the words spoken with a distinct German accent, with which Mayor Blankenburg opened the meeting. The President stood with the crowd and joined in the singing. Everywhere there was enthusiasm.

Mayor Blankenburg called attention to the fact that, like other aliens, he had "come from foreign shores to find in the United States a home." He said that "great responsibility" was with taking citizenship in the United States, adding that new citizens must do more than swear allegiance to their adopted country. "Let me beseech you," he said, "to be Americans first, last and all the time, no matter what may happen in the world at large."

First Allegiance Due to U. S.

"No matter what our personal feelings for the country we left behind, our first

allegiance is to the country of our adoption. I cannot impress this too strongly on account of occurrences of the last eight months. Thank God, we have a man in the White House who knows who is just a man who knows what to do."

The crowd interrupted with a tumult of cheers, arose en masse from the balconies and floor and waved the stars and stripes. It was a remarkable demonstration of applause.

When the Mayor concluded he introduced United States Judge Joseph B. Ferguson and later Secretary Wilson of the Department of Labor. While Secretary Wilson was speaking a baby child of a new citizen began crying and the President smiled.

A sudden outburst of applause greeted the President when he arose to speak. Everyone present leaped up, waving American flags. Waves of cheers broke over the hall, rising and falling. He bowed time and again, smiling his acknowledgment of his reception. As he rose the band played the "Star Spangled Banner."

Illinois Senate Assures President People Will Back Him Up.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 11.—President Wilson today was assured by a vote of the Senate that the people of Illinois would indorse whatever action he might take "for maintaining the honor and dignity of the nation in connection with the torpedoing of the Lusitania. Following is the text of the resolution:

"Resolved, That the Senate, realizing as it does the gravity of the situation confronting President Wilson, and regretting the great loss of life of American citizens by the sinking of the Lusitania, conveys to him this message of assurance that the people of Illinois will indorse whatever action he may deem advisable to take for maintaining the honor and dignity of the nation and the preservation of the lives of its citizens."

The resolution was offered by Senator Compton of Macomb. A copy of it was telegraphed to the President.

PASSENGER AND MOTHER SAID BY CLIMBING ON LINER'S PIANO

British Officer Declares They Floated Three Hours and Found Unique Craft Seaworthy.

QUEENSTOWN, May 11.—F. M. Lasseter, an officer of a Scottish regiment, who was wounded early in the war and had been on a voyage of three months to recover his health, was saved, together with his mother, by the sinking of the Lusitania, on which they floated for three hours.

Mr. Lasseter says he came up near his mother after the boat went down and sighted the piano floating with its legs up. He lifted his mother onto the piano and then climbed aboard himself. They found the unique craft well above the waves and perfectly seaworthy.

CHARLTON TRIAL SET FOR JULY

Wife Murder Case of American Coming Up Earlier Than Expected.

COMO, Italy, May 11.—The trial of Porter Charlton, who was tried from the United States on the charge of having murdered his wife on June 8, 1910, at their villa here, will be opened early in July. This is considerably earlier than had been expected.

The Court today opened on the time for the trial after receiving word from Prof. Maggiorio, director of the asylum at Como, that he would be able to present his opinion as to Charlton's mental state at the time of his wife's death before the end of June.

FOUR IN ONE FAMILY DROWN

Yawl Is Swept Over Dam in Ohio River at Midland, Pa.

EAST LIVERPOOL, O., May 11.—Four members of one family were drowned here today when a yawl in which they were passengers was swept over dam No. 7 in the Ohio River at Midland, Pa., near here.

Those drowned were William H. Taylor, 48, chief engineer at the dam, his wife, daughter, Carol, 13, and son Stanley, 6.

## Allied Offensive Near Arras Brings Further Gains

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Today's official statement from the War Office, which says:

"In Belgium near St. George's, the enemy endeavored by a night attack to recapture the positions taken by us the day before yesterday. They were, however, repulsed."

The north of Arras our progress was continued. Monday evening we took possession first of the cemetery and of the eastern part of the village of Areny, and also of the road from Areny to Sauchez. Areny, where we took 29 more prisoners, including three officers, and captured several machine guns, is now invested by our troops on three sides and is reduced to precarious communication with the German lines.

The forces brought by the enemy from Leo and from Douai in automobiles were not successful at any place in getting the advantage. Four strong counter attacks broke down under our fire during the afternoon of Monday, at the same time suffering very heavy losses.

"These attacks took place in front of Loos, at Notre Dame de Lorette, at Sauchez and at Neuville Saint Vaast. At this last mentioned place we gained territory, at the same time making about 100 prisoners. The number of officers taken by us up to yesterday evening was more than 50."

"Monday night the enemy suffered a further check. The counter attacks to the north of Neuville St. Vaast, preceded by a violent bombardment, were completely repulsed and we retained all the ground gained by us at the same time inflicting very heavy losses on our assailants."

"Following the bombardment of Dunkirk, reported yesterday morning, during which three shells fell, but without hurting anybody or inflicting any damage, the Germans threw 11 shells on the town of Bergues, five miles south-southeast of Dunkirk. Twelve persons were killed and 11 were wounded. Our batteries at once opened fire and they put a stop to the shelling of the enemy, which was not resumed during the day."

Kaiser Thanks Gen. Mackensen for Gallant Victory.

BERLIN, via London, May 11.—Emperor William has sent the following message to Gen. von Mackensen, commanding the forces in the Carpathians region:

"Under your leadership the allied armies have broken through the Russian front between the Carpathians and the Vistula, captured an incalculable quantity of booty and shaken the enemy's far-reaching Carpathian positions."

"Your leadership and the incomparable bravery of your troops have resulted in a victory which is among the proudest feats at arms in this war. For this I and the Fatherland owe you thanks. I confer upon you the revolutionary movement against President Guillaume. The Government forces were victorious. Dr. Bobo came into Cape Haitien May 7 and held the city until Government troops were brought up."

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CAPE HAITIEN, May 11.—A battle occurred today on the heights near Cape Haitien between Government troops and forces of Dr. Robert Bobo, leader of the revolutionary movement against President Guillaume. The Government forces were victorious. Dr. Bobo came into Cape Haitien May 7 and held the city until Government troops were brought up."

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Watch Kept for Submarines; Heard Nothing From Look-out Before Attack.

KINSALE, Ireland, May 11.—Capt. Turner's story of the sinking of the Lusitania was told yesterday at the inquest held here into the deaths of five passengers. The Captain testified he had received certain directions concerning his voyage, but was not at liberty to tell what they were. He said he had not asked for an escort for the liner, because that was the Admiralty's business.

The first attempt was made at the inquest to explain the failure of the watertight compartments of the Lusitania, which many of the passengers believed would save the ship even if she should be torpedoed. The Captain testified that the compartments were closed but that the explosion and the force of the water must have blown them open. He said all the officers were at their posts and that the early arrivals of rescue craft would not have saved the ship.

Coroner Horgan said that the first torpedo fired by the German submarine did serious damage to the Lusitania, but that, not satisfied with this, the Germans had discharged another torpedo. He recalled, he said, must have been more deadly, because it went right through the ship, hastening the work of destruction.

The characteristic courage of the Irish and British people was manifested at the time of this terrible disaster. The Coroner continued, and there was no panic.

He charged that the responsibility "lay on the German Government and the whole people of Germany who collaborated in the terrible crime."

Capt. Turner Testifies.

Capt. Turner of the Lusitania was asked by the Coroner whether he had received a message concerning the sinking of a ship off Kinsale by a submarine. Capt. Turner replied that he had not.

"Did you receive any special instructions as to what to do in such a case?" "Are you at liberty to tell us what they were?" "No, sir."

"Did you carry them out?" "Yes, to the best of my ability."

"Tell us in your own words what happened after passing Fastnet?"

"The weather was clear," Capt. Turner answered. "We were going at a speed of 18 knots. I was on the port side and heard Second Officer Pefferd call out: 'There's a torpedo on the starboard bow.'"

"I ran the other side and saw clearly the wake of a torpedo. Smoke and steam came up between the last two funnels. There was a slight shock. Immediately after the first explosion there was another report, but that may possibly have been internal."

"I at once gave orders to lower the boats down to the rails, and I directed that women and children should get into them."

"I also had all the bulkheads closed," Capt. Turner continued. "Between the time of passing Fastnet, at about 11 o'clock, and of the torpedoing, I saw no sign whatever of any submarine."

"There was some talk along the Irish coast, and when we were near Fastnet I slowed down to 15 knots. I was in wireless communication with shore all the way across."

Denies Ship Was Armed.

"You were aware threats had been made that the ship would be torpedoed?" the Coroner asked Capt. Turner.

"We were," the captain replied. "Was she armed?" "No, sir."

"What precautions did you take?" "We had all the boats swung when we came within the danger zone, between the passing of Fastnet and the time of the accident."

Capt. Turner was asked whether he had received any messages in regard to the presence of submarines off the Irish coast, and he replied affirmatively. Questioned regarding the nature of the message, he replied: "I respectfully refer you to the Admiralty for an answer."

"I also gave orders to stop the ship," Capt. Turner continued, "but we could not stop. We found that the engines were out of commission. It was not safe to lower boats until the speed was up to the vessels. As a matter of fact, there was a perceptible headway on her up to the time she went down."

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## SEARCH FOR SURVIVORS GIVEN UP, BUT QUEST FOR LUSITANIA DEAD GOES ON

Strong Wind and Current Hampers Hunt; Patrol Continues, Shores Are Searched; Twenty-Nine More Bodies Found Near Scene.

QUEENSTOWN, May 11.—Hope of finding further survivors of the Lusitania disaster has been abandoned and efforts are now being directed exclusively to recovering the bodies of those who met death when the ship went down.

To this end, the entire territory is being patrolled by ships and all of the nearby shores are watched.

Sixteen bodies were brought into Queenstown this afternoon by a tug chartered by the Cunard line. None of the bodies has yet been identified. The bodies are those of nine men, five women and a boy and girl. They were floating with life belts 30 miles east of the scene of the disaster. All the bodies have deteriorated.

The tug decks were littered with deck chairs and other wreckage from the Lusitania.

Reports today said that 10 bodies had been brought ashore at Castle Townsend, near Baltimore, six of them being men and four women, and that two others were at Baltimore, which is a small seaport on the southern Irish coast. This caused some of the relatives of the victims to remain over, with the possibility of making further identifications when a Cunard tug, dispatched to the scene, brings the bodies here.

It is reported one of the bodies at Baltimore had on it papers bearing the name Harrison, Main street, Bridgeport, Conn., and that on another there was found the circular of a firm called "Foreman & Co., Ltd., Bridgeport, Conn." The tug dispatched yesterday evening by the Cunard company to the scene of the disaster to look for bodies, had not returned to Queenstown today.

The body of Albert Thompson of Toronto, brought in by an Admiralty trawler last night, was found drifting with wreckage near the coast, not far from the scene of the disaster.

Current Where Ship Went Down.

A current of from two and one-half to three knots around Old Head, Kinsale, and this has been augmented by a stiff east wind, which at the end of eight or nine days may carry bodies ashore around Cape Clear, on the west Irish coast. The winds ordinarily prevailing would have brought bodies ashore on the Atlantic coast of Cornwall, England.

There are indications that the heavy drifts, toll among the American men in the first cabin was due to a scarcity of life belts, many of them having given to the life preservers they had obtained to the helpless women. There is a preponderance of testimony that no American man got into a boat until after he had been thrown into the water.

Webb Wade, secretary of Alfred Vanderbilt, has not yet been able to arrange with the authorities to comply with his request that all necessary tug boats be chartered at the expense of the Vanderbilt family to search for other bodies as well as that of Vanderbilt. Until he heard the story of Dr. Owen Kenan of New York, Wade believed his family had entered one of the boats smashed against the side of the ship.

Lady Allan, wife of Sir Montague Allan of Montreal, left on a special train today for London. Lady Allan's back was injured but she was well enough to travel under the care of several doctors and nurses. A number of other survivors went to London with her.

Baby, Aged 5 Months, Motherless.

Probably the most unconcerned of the survivors is the 8-month-old son of Mrs. H. Both. The mother lost her life, but the father has been found at a hotel in Ottawa. The boy was picked up from the water, but apparently is suffering no ill effects. A number of the survivors recognized the infant and remembered that the father had remained behind in Canada. An aunt of the infant who is in England will take charge of him.

A pathetic case is that of Mollie Mainman, aged 15, and the 7-year-old twins, Elizabeth and Edwin Mainman, who lost their father, A. R. Mainman, their mother and two brothers. The family was on the way to Chester, England, to take possession of an estate there which had been bequeathed to them. The children were taken in charge by a lawyer.

When the Lusitania was in her death throes there was no cooler group aboard than that composed of Mrs. Marie de Page, Herbert S. Stone, London W. Bates Jr. and Dr. J. T. Houghton. The last named was the only survivor of the party. This little band guided women and children, supplied life belts, bound up the wounds of other passengers and then plunged hopelessly into the sea, having given up their own life preservers.

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## Parallels in Titanic and Lusitania Deaths

ONE striking parallel suggests themselves in a comparison of the death rolls of the Titanic and the Lusitania disasters.

John Jacob Astor was the most conspicuous American lost on the Titanic, as Alfred Twiss Vanderbilt was on the Lusitania. Each inherited a great fortune; each was a dominant figure in the social life of the city; each died in gallant self-sacrifice.

Henry R. Harris was a notable figure in the theatrical world on the sinking of the Titanic ended his career. Charles Frohman, when the Lusitania went down, was perhaps the most distinguished figure in the managerial field.

Jacques Futrell was in the full flower of his fame as a writer when he became a passenger on the Titanic. Justus Miles Forman had come to a like period when he took passage on the Lusitania.

William T. Stead was a familiar figure among English journalists when he died on the Titanic. Elbert Hubbard, who died on the Lusitania, was at least as well known among American journalists.

Isidore Straus had dedicated his life to philanthropy. He was one of the great benefactors of his place among the victims of the Titanic. Lindon Bates Jr. of the Lusitania's company, had given over almost entirely his engineering affairs to further the work of the American Commission for Relief in Belgium.

LEROY H. NEWMAN FINED, BUT ESCAPES WORKHOUSE SENTENCE

Plea of Engagement to Wed Gains Clemency for Man Accused By Glenora Ketchum.

The sentence of six months in the workhouse imposed upon Leroy Harry Newman of 1911 Longfellow boulevard, an advertising solicitor, on a charge of common assault, proffered by Miss Glenora Ketchum of 2011 Eads avenue, was set aside by Judge Cave today on Newman's agreement to pay a fine of \$100 and costs amounting to \$65.50.

The sentence was changed in accordance with a petition which bore the names of 100 of Newman's friends. Newman also said representations had been made to him that Newman is engaged to be married to a young woman in Milwaukee.

The workhouse verdict was returned by a jury in February and since then Newman, through his attorney, A. M. Frum



# WHAT PUBLIC MEN AND LAWYERS SAY WE SHOULD DO IN LUSITANIA CASE

## ADVOCATING WAR, BONAPARTE URGES CONGRESS SESSION

Roosevelt's Secretary of the Navy and Attorney-General Asserts That Now Is the Time for Action, Not for Mediation, Silence or Talk.

### "WE MUST EITHER PUT UP OR SHUT UP"

He Would First of All Proceed Immediately to Put This Country "Into a Condition of Complete Defense."

BALTIMORE, May 11.—Charles J. Bonaparte, Secretary of the Navy and Attorney-General of the United States under the Roosevelt administration, believes that Congress should be called into extra session immediately. "The situation," he says, "so far as I can see, is in no wise complicated; contrary, its gravity lies in its simplicity. The material facts are plain and undisputed and the only question is what are we going to do about it? To my mind there are only two things to be done. In the language of the sporting fraternity, we must either 'put up or shut up'—either we must show that we are ready if need be to vindicate by war the rights of our citizens or we must quietly subside and let the belligerents do what they please."

If no fight, keep silent. "The master of contingency, it will be prudent and more dignified for us to say nothing; a baby may be excused for crying when it can do nothing else, but a man had better grin and bear silence if not with resignation. There is no fight to be got out of him."

"There is only one way whereby a neutral nation can finish a belligerent for the invasion of its rights or those of its citizens, as established by settled international usages; that is, by ceasing to be a neutral and becoming a belligerent."

"If the belligerents believe it will do this, in case they provoke it sufficiently, by this belief they are from excessive provocation and enable it to remain at peace; if, however, the men in power in a neutral state are generally regarded as mere phrasemongers and masculine old ladies, their talk will be no protection against wrong; big words break no bones."

**Crisis Calls for Action.** "The present crisis, in my opinion, does not call for profound meditation or impressive silence, or majestic utterances, but for action, and first of all, for immediately putting the country into a condition of complete defense. This work ought to have been taken in hand nine months ago; had it been, we might perhaps have escaped our present difficulty."

"As it wasn't begun then, it ought to be begun now, without a moment's delay; and, however sorry we may be usually to see more of Congress than is unavoidable, I think a special session ought to be called to provide for this national defense."

**American People Must Be Calm, Says Cardinal Gibbons.** BALTIMORE, May 11.—Cardinal Gibbons, when asked for a statement concerning the Lusitania disaster, said he could be quoted as saying: "I feel the greatest sorrow and horror for this terrible tragedy. So many women and children and noncombatants losing their lives is certainly a tragedy. The American people must be calm and prudent. It is best to leave the destinies of the nation in the hands of the President and the Government. Popular sentiment is not a standard to be followed too hastily. The calm deliberation of our national executive will lead to the best solution of this question. In the meantime the thing for the people to do is to ask Almighty God in fervent prayer to guide our President and get to the best and wisest solution. I will pray that heaven guide us right. That is all I wish to say now."

**Effort to Bar Cotton Boll Worm.** WASHINGTON, May 11.—Resolution to govern the importation of foreign cotton lint, designed to prevent the introduction of the pink boll worm pest, were issued yesterday by the Department of Agriculture, to become effective July 1. Foreign cotton will be admitted under permit and its delivery will be limited to mills licensed on condition, that they adopt certain precautionary measures.

**Overst of Looted Store Says He Is an American.** VICTORIA, B. C., May 11.—Moses Lenz, whose grocery and warehouse were attacked by anti-German rioters since the sinking of the Lusitania, claimed to be an American citizen, and today laid his case before the United States Consul here, Lenz says the damage to his property will amount to between \$10,000 and \$15,000.

**Pittsburgh Bricklayers Strike Ends.** PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 11.—Through the efforts of the Department of Labor and Industry of Pennsylvania, striking bricklayers returned to work yesterday pending a settlement of their differences with the employers. Operations in this district were resumed nearly in full.

**Bishop Mass of Covington Dies.** COVINGTON, Ky., May 11.—Camillus P. Mass, for 30 years Bishop of the Roman Catholic diocese of Covington, died from a complication of diseases last night. He was 59 years old.

## Facsimile of Page From Monday's New York Herald, Issued in Mourning for Lusitania's American Dead

NEW YORK HERALD, MONDAY, MAY 10, 1915.

In Memoriam—American Men, Women and Children Lost on Board the Lusitania



OLD HEAD OF RIBBLE, OFF WHICH THE LUSITANIA WAS DESTROYED.

The New York Herald of yesterday appeared with black borders and heavy black column rules on every page. Across the top of every page were the words: "In Memoriam—American Men, Women and Children Lost on Board the Lusitania." The Herald in the same issue expressed repeatedly the sentiment: "What a pity Theodore Roosevelt is not President now!" Col. Roosevelt's attitude towards Germany since the Lusitania disaster has been extremely bellicose.

### 149 DEAD LIE IN FOUR MORGUES; WATERS STILL HIDE 1,400 MORE

Searched in Quaintest Told of Horror of Mass When the Great Lusitania, Stern High in Air, Drove to Bottom and Sea in Mass of Swirling Wreckage, Crushed

The American people do not want war with Germany. If war can be honorably avoided, but that question must be decided in Berlin, not in Washington. We know our rights under international law, and we are not without means of enforcing those rights. Furthermore, these rights will be enforced—peaceably if possible, but by force if necessary. We, too, should "deeply regret" any misunderstanding on the part of the German Government as to the attitude of the American people toward the Lusitania massacre. They have not been so aroused since the destruction of the Maine. Thus far, their sentiment has been splendidly restrained, but the intensity of feeling is all the greater because the German commander had no right to fire the first torpedo, he could have seen that the Lusitania had been disabled; then the firing of the second torpedo must have been done to sink the disabled and defenseless ship. Now, a stroke of one torpedo could not have sunk the Lusitania, which was a finer boat than the Titanic and harder to sink, in 22 minutes, so it is perfectly clear that the German commander fired the second torpedo in order to strike terror into the minds of the people of the whole world, demonstrating that she would stop at nothing. It is my opinion that the President should send the fleet over to sink the German submarine. To do so would be according to international law and could not be considered as an act of war. If Germany should consider it as such it would not be our fault.

**Reason for Second Torpedo.** In the second place, even if that were not so, the captain of the Lusitania said two torpedoes struck his boat. Now, if the German commander had no right to fire the first torpedo, he could have seen that the Lusitania had been disabled; then the firing of the second torpedo must have been done to sink the disabled and defenseless ship. Now, a stroke of one torpedo could not have sunk the Lusitania, which was a finer boat than the Titanic and harder to sink, in 22 minutes, so it is perfectly clear that the German commander fired the second torpedo in order to strike terror into the minds of the people of the whole world, demonstrating that she would stop at nothing. It is my opinion that the President should send the fleet over to sink the German submarine. To do so would be according to international law and could not be considered as an act of war. If Germany should consider it as such it would not be our fault.

**Commissioner vs. Piracy.** The German submarine is the vessel acting under a commission from a belligerent power.

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## NEW YORK PAPERS CONDEMN COURSE GERMANS PURSUE

World Calls Reference to Warnings to Ship Passengers "Insult Ad to Injury."

PLAINTIFF IN CASE IS U. S.

Times Refers to "Hohenzollern Curse"; Post Would Silence Kaiser's Press Agents.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch. NEW YORK, May 11.—Editorial expressions from New York newspapers today on the latest phase of the situation growing out of the sinking of the Lusitania follow:

**WOOLLS:** The German Government's official expression of "heartfelt sympathy over the loss of American lives" in the Lusitania massacre is coupled with a sneer of "regret that Americans felt more inclined to trust England's promises than to pay attention to warnings from Germany's side."

The Government of the United States is concerned neither with "England's promises" nor with Germany's warnings. It is concerned with the rights of American citizens, and those rights will be maintained.

This country wants no expression of "heartfelt sympathy" from a Government that deliberately murdered scores of helpless American men, women and children. It wants no further admissions from Germany about the necessity of heading German warnings of intended violations of international law and of intended German crimes against nature. All it wants from Germany is full reparation for the outrages already committed and a clear understanding that there is to be no repetition of these outrages.

The American people do not want war with Germany. If war can be honorably avoided, but that question must be decided in Berlin, not in Washington. We know our rights under international law, and we are not without means of enforcing those rights. Furthermore, these rights will be enforced—peaceably if possible, but by force if necessary. We, too, should "deeply regret" any misunderstanding on the part of the German Government as to the attitude of the American people toward the Lusitania massacre. They have not been so aroused since the destruction of the Maine. Thus far, their sentiment has been splendidly restrained, but the intensity of feeling is all the greater because the German commander had no right to fire the first torpedo, he could have seen that the Lusitania had been disabled; then the firing of the second torpedo must have been done to sink the disabled and defenseless ship. Now, a stroke of one torpedo could not have sunk the Lusitania, which was a finer boat than the Titanic and harder to sink, in 22 minutes, so it is perfectly clear that the German commander fired the second torpedo in order to strike terror into the minds of the people of the whole world, demonstrating that she would stop at nothing. It is my opinion that the President should send the fleet over to sink the German submarine. To do so would be according to international law and could not be considered as an act of war. If Germany should consider it as such it would not be our fault.

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### From Thin to Plump—Girls.

The expressions of happiness and gratitude of several of his young lady patients for whom he prescribed recently successful flesh-forming product, known as three grain hypodermic tablets, is related by a physician in one of the medical publications and it comes as a surprise to the ordinary layman to learn the heart throbs of distress which seem to affect so many young people who are abnormally thin. Also to know that the weight can be so readily increased by the use, regularly for several months, of this peculiarly named preparation, now obtainable of the best physicians and apothecary shops in sealed packages with complete instructions for self-administration.—ADVERTISEMENT.

### JAPANESE DISPLEASED WITH TERMS MADE WITH CHINA

Conservative Press Is Urging the Public to Exercise Self-Restraint.

TOKIO, May 11.—The Japanese Foreign Office is drafting a treaty with China based upon the acceptance of the provisions in Japan's ultimatum, including the restoration of Kiauchau.

Admitting that the public is displeased with the results of the negotiations, the conservative press is urging the Japanese to exercise self-restraint with regard to China.

Advices from Peking state it is believed there Russia will demand privileges in North Manchuria similar to those granted to Japanese in South Manchuria.

### DOE RUN LEAD CO. STOCKHOLDER SUES TO OUST DIRECTORS

Election on May 7 Illegal, Atlanta Man Alleges in Petition Filed Here.

Another chapter in the quarrel between stockholders of the St. Joseph Lead Co. began with the filing in the United States District Court today of a suit by Samuel R. Maynard of Atlanta, Ga., against the Doe Run Lead Co. of Bonne Terre, Mo., and Polite Evans, Robert Sellers, R. R. S. Parsons and F. H. Dearing, in which it is sought to have set aside an election of directors of the Doe Run company, held May 7, 1915, and to have another election ordered.

The Doe Run company, according to the petition, on Sept. 10, 1912, had an authorized capital stock of \$10,000,000, of which \$5,750,000 was issued and outstanding. On that date an agreement was submitted to the stockholders of the Doe Run company to effect a merger with the St. Joe Lead Co.

Under the agreement the stockholders of the Doe Run company were to deliver their stock and receive in return their ratable proportion of \$5,000,000 face value of stock in the St. Joseph company and \$125,000 in cash.

The St. Joe company, it is alleged, acquired \$4,844 shares of Doe Run stock at par and issued in exchange shares of the capital stock of the St. Joseph company of the par value of \$10 each and the St. Joseph company paid the ratable proportion of \$125,000 to the Doe Run company.

Maynard, the petition says, owned 1100 shares of the Doe Run stock and refused to sell any of his stock to the St. Joseph company and refused to sign the agreement. There was no merger of the two companies, it is declared and they still are governed by separate directors and officers.

At the stockholders' meeting, May 7, Parsons was elected chairman and Dearing, secretary, and Parsons appointed Elvins and Sellers as inspectors of election. Maynard filed a protest against the stock of the St. Joseph company being voted, on the ground that the purpose was to have the St. Joseph company dominate the Doe Run company, which would be contrary to law and public policy.

He also alleges that the election was illegal and that if the stock held by the St. Joseph company had been rejected the following would have been elected directors: S. R. Maynard, Robert H. Holmes, Clinton H. Crane, J. W. McLean and P. N. Moore.

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They Must Wait Until 1917 if State Commission's Contentions Is Upheld.

JEFFERSON CITY, May 11.—The railroads of Missouri can expect no relief in the matter of increased rates before fall, if at all, as a result of the filing in the Supreme Court yesterday by Attorney Busby, counsel for the State Public Service Commission, of a brief in which he contended that the Commission had no power to increase rates above the statutory maximum.

Busby's brief argument was submitted in the Kansas City Southern demurrage case. If it is decided in its regular order an opinion cannot be expected before midsummer.

Should the Supreme Court uphold Busby's contention, there could be no increase in rates until the close of the legislative session of 1917. Should the Commission be overruled, it will proceed with the hearing on the present application of the roads.

Not Intimidated, Busby Says. The contention of counsel for the commission is based on the provision of the constitution which vests the rate-making power in the Legislature. Busby contends that it is a fundamental principle of constitutional law that power thus delegated by the constitution cannot be transferred to another body or agency by act of the Legislature.

In the Missouri Southern case, Chief Justice Lamm, who wrote the opinion in which he held the commission had power to raise rates above the statutory maximum, said it was clear that the Legislature intended to confer that power on the commission.

Not Intimidated, Busby Says. Judge Lamm, however, did not discuss the constitutional right of the Legislature to transfer the power.

Attorney Busby, who was the author of the law creating the public service commission and who was largely instrumental in obtaining its passage, said there was no such intention on the part of legislators or those who sponsored the bill.

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Fire Destroys Cottage in County. Two frame houses and a barn in Burnsville, St. Louis County, were burned early this morning and another cottage was partly destroyed by the same fire.

In the latter building firemen found a pile of kindling and excelsior saturated with coal oil. A small piece of candle

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Roast Prime Ribs of Beef  
Baked Potato  
New Carrots and Peas in Cream  
Head Lettuce Bellevue Dressing  
Strawberry Charlotte, or  
Vanilla or Chocolate Ice Cream  
Hot Bread  
Coffee Tea Cocoa Milk  
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16-button length Silk  
Gloves—some plain, extra  
heavy weight—others embroidered  
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Nightgowns, Combinations, Cor-  
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bric—elaborately trimmed—some  
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Of fine quality Swiss, em-  
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27 inches wide, **50c**  
quality—at yard, (Main Floor.)

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Women's, of pure Irish linen  
and Shamrock cloth, hand-em-  
broidered corner effects—  
slight seconds—at **75c**  
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Hollow cut and washable  
in white, pink, green,  
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85 pieces high-grade Mer-  
cerized Madras Shirting, in all-  
white, and white with black  
and colored designs in stripes  
and figures—variety of pat-  
terns, 32 inches wide, abso-  
lutely fast color. Up  
to 25c quality, at **10c**  
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bray and seersucker—high and  
low neck—long and  
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Stand and Handle—**57c**  
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Silk and cotton—black and  
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at **2 1/2c** roll  
Wall Papers, in good, rich,  
dark colorings, with 18-inch  
Borders to match—for any  
room—10c grade, **4c** roll  
German-dyed Oatmeal  
Papers, 30 inches wide, with  
cut-out Borders—15c quality—  
special at **5c** roll  
Extra—Two-tone and stripes,  
in all the latest colorings for  
parlors, living rooms and halls—  
special at **10c** roll  
Bring measurements of rooms  
—no estimates furnished.  
(Fourth Floor.)

## The Million-and-a-Half-Dollar Auction Sale of Rugs

Is Directly Responsible for This, One of the Most Extraordinary Floorcovering Sales We Have Held

This store's purchase at the recent Sanford Auction Sale held in New York City was enormous. We are offering the greatest Rug values of the entire year, and the privilege of making selection at such extraordinary price attractions should not be neglected.

### \$14.50 Axminster Rugs

Regular \$25 Value  
S. Sanford & Sons' 9x12-ft. Ax-  
minster Rugs, three-seamed, beau-  
tiful designs, and are especially  
suitable for parlors, living and  
dining rooms.

\$4.50 Axminsters, \$3  
S. Sanford & Sons' Axmin-  
ster Rugs, 36x70 inches, in  
hundreds of patterns, includ-  
ing beautiful, rich Oriental  
designs.

\$35 Axminsters, \$27.50  
Extra large-size Axminster  
Rugs, 11 ft. 3 in. by 12 feet—in  
a great assortment of beautiful  
designs—suitable for any room  
in the house.

EXTRA—  
Linoleums, 75c Sq. Yd.  
Extra heavy Inlaid Lin-  
oleums in a beautiful assort-  
ment of patterns, suitable for  
every purpose.

### \$11.75 Brussels Rugs

Regular \$17.50 Value  
Triple extra Brussels Rugs  
—seamless, and in size 9x12-  
ft. Come in a good assort-  
ment of beautiful, refined  
patterns and good colorings.

### \$19.75 Velvet Rugs

Regularly \$25 & \$27.50  
Seamless Wilton Velvet  
Rugs, in Cashmere and Wil-  
tana qualities, in beautiful  
designs. Come in size 9x12  
feet.

Sanford Hall Runners Underpriced  
Size 2 ft. 3 in. by 9 ft., regularly \$5, at **\$3.00**  
Size 2 ft. 3 in. by 10 1/2 ft., regularly \$6.25, at **\$4.50**  
Size 3 by 10 1/2 ft., regularly \$9, priced at **\$5.50**  
Size 3 by 12 ft., regularly \$10.50, priced, **\$6.50**  
(Fourth Floor.)

### Sunfast Drapery 25c Yd.

Comes in plain and some  
with fancy borders, in all the  
wanted colorings—suitable  
for curtains and over-drap-  
eries. Sells regularly at 50c  
yard. (Fourth Floor.)

### Women's Union Suits 39c

Women's fine ribbed listle  
thread Union Suits—narrow  
over shoulder—lace-trimmed  
knees—new form—50c qual-  
ity. (Main Floor.)

### Bathing Suit Mohair 45c Yd.

Bright-finish Mohair Scil-  
ian, in black, navy blue and  
gray—50 in. wide. A splen-  
did wearing material and excel-  
lent for bathing suits. Regularly 69c  
yard. (Second Floor.)

### Curtain Voiles 18c Yd.

Fancy bordered Curtain  
Voiles, in white, cream and  
Arabian color, made of best  
quality combed Egyptian  
yarns. Regular 30c and 35c  
qualities. (Fourth Floor.)

## For Tourists—Trunks, Bags, Suit Cases

At prices which should be of supreme interest to the hundreds contemplating Summer vacation jaunts or trips to the California expositions.

### Steamer Trunks at \$7.50

Usual Price \$10  
Made of heavy fiber over three-ply  
body—solid steel trimmed—sizes 34,  
36 and 38 inches.

### Suit Cases at \$4.85

Usual Price \$6.50  
Made of good quality leather—extra  
large, double stitched handles and  
with fold in lid.

### Wardrobe Trunks, \$16

Usual Price \$20  
Made of three-ply veneer covered  
with hard fiber, solid steel trimmed—cloth lined.  
large, roomy drawers. Carries ten to fif-  
teen complete suits.

Wardrobe Trunks, of five-ply, 60-  
gauge fiber—raw linen lined—twelve  
combination hangers—regularly  
\$32.50—at **\$25**

Bathing Suit Cases, of matting,  
lined with rubber—four different  
styles, **50c**

### Traveling Bags at \$4.95

Usual Price \$6  
Sizes 16, 17 and 18 inches—made of  
full stock cowhide, leather lined, in-  
side pockets. Come in black and brown.

### Matting Suit Cases at \$1

Usual Price \$2.25  
Made of genuine sea grass matting,  
over boxwood frame—cloth lined, with  
pocket in lid.

### Dress Trunks, \$7.50

Usual Price \$11  
Made of fiber over three-ply  
veneer, solid steel trimmed—  
cloth lined, two trays, heavy  
strap.

Wardrobe Trunks, of finest fiber  
over three-ply birch—open top, fancy  
lining, shoe box and patent retainer  
—30-inch hanging space when open  
—usually \$35—at **\$25**

Bathing Suit Cases, made of French  
fiber—usually 50c—at **15c**



Matting Bags—12, 14 and 16-inch,  
made of sea grass—very light and  
waterproof—usually 75c—at **50c**  
Dress Trunks—canvas-covered, re-  
inforced with hardwood slats—two  
trays—usually \$6.50—at **\$4.75**  
(Second Floor Annex.)

## Tarine Sheets at 45c Doz.

Manahan's Tarine Sheets, size 40x48 inches, for lining  
closets, trunks and chests, in which Winter clothing is packed.  
Usually sell at 5c a sheet—special Wednesday, **45c dozen**

### Manahan's Tarine Bags

Business suit size, **50c**  
Overcoat size, **60c**  
Ulster size, **75c**  
Auto coat size, **90c**

### Shoe Boxes, \$1.79

Shoe Blacking Boxes—strongly  
made of hardwood, white enameled,  
with imitation leather seat  
on top—shoe-rest inside.

### Bath Stools, \$1.50

Round style—white enameled  
—fitted with rubber-tipped ends.

### Bath Sprays, 59c

Nickel-plated ends—complete  
with 5 feet of corrugated rubber  
tubing.

### Almond Grinders, 25c

Clamps to the table. Very use-  
ful article for the kitchen.

### Clothes Hampers, \$1.95

Round style—made of import-  
ed willow, with cover—good size.

### Curtain Stretchers, \$1.10

Curtain stretchers 6x12 feet,  
with adjustable nickel-plated  
brass pins.

### 89c Teakettles, 45c

No. 8 size—of Royal steel enameled  
—flat bottom.

### Clothes Wringers, \$2.65

Wood frames—good rubber  
rolls—guaranteed. (Fifth Floor.)

## Noteworthy Values for Wednesday—in the Basement

### 5c Sale of 10c to 25c Embroideries

The entire stock of embroideries of a New York manufacturer of  
infants' wear, purchased literally at our own price!

There are over 30,000 yards of crisp, new Embroideries, consist-  
ing of sheer Swisses, dainty nainsook and cambric embroideries.

The edges in widths up to 7 inches, insertions of various widths and of extra fine quality—wide  
bands, and a few headings—embroidered in dainty eyelet designs, blind and semi-blind effects in floral  
and scroll patterns—some in the larger and more open designs. Choice, Wednesday, at **5c yard**  
(Basement.)

### Sale—Sample Cards of Notions

Again, the sample sale of notions—  
the once-a-year event that crowds the  
Basement Notion Department.

A few of the items specially priced are:  
Bead Necklaces, Brooches, Tie Clasps, Pearl,  
Bone and Gold-plated Collar Buttons,  
Needles, Pins, Thread, Tapes, Bindings,  
Corset and Shoe Laces—Banjo, Guitar,  
Mandolin and Violin Strings, Corkscrews,  
Key Rings and Chains—Leather Watch  
Chains and Fobs, Pocket Necessities and  
Mirrors—as well as thousands of sample  
cards of every conceivable kind of a button.  
1c Ea. 2 for 5c 5c Ea. 10c Ea.  
(Basement.)

### \$1.50 Black Crepe de Chine, 79c

Heavy, firm Black Crepe de Chine, 40  
inches wide—regular \$1.50 quality, but  
termed as "seconds," subject to odor of the  
dye—while a small lot lasts, at **79c yard**  
(Basement.)

### Bakery—Fresh Strawberry Tarts

with fresh berries,  
**19c half dozen**  
(Basement.)

### 19c Juvenile Cloth, 10c Yard

Juvenile cloth in solid colors and woven striped effects in  
good range of patterns. Washes better and outwears Galatea.  
Specially priced at **10c yard**

### 9c Percales, 5c yd.

Fast colored Cadet Percales of in-  
digo blue, with white dots, 32 inches  
wide—9c quality—at **5c yard**

### 25c Feather-Proof Tickling, 15c Yd.

Best quality small blue and white, also sateen fancy striped Feather-  
proof Ticklings, 32 and 36 inches wide—25c quality—at **15c yard**  
(Basement.)

### Extra—Lace Curtains, 75c Pair

800 pairs of Nottingham Lace Curtains, in most desirable de-  
signs—exact reproductions of Brussels, Battenberg and Cluny laces.  
They are of full width, and 3 yards in length, and made with over-  
locked stitched edges—special at **75c pair**

### Lace Door Panels, 39c, 69c, 98c

500 Lace Door Panels, in such makes as handmade Battenberg,  
Marie Antoinette and Irish Point, which would be good value at two  
and three times the sale prices of **39c, 69c and 98c**

### Special—Rangoon Cloth Priced at 20c Yard

Rangoon cloth, in this season's newest designs and color combina-  
tions—very appropriate for curtains and overdraperies, **20c yard**  
(Basement.)

## Wash Dresses for the Stout

And for Extra-Stout Women Up to 59-Inch Bust Measurement

Dresses of gingham and tissue in blue, lav-  
ender and black stripes. Trimmed with em-  
broidery collar, frills, yokes of lace, bands of  
contrasting materials. Sizes 41 to 59.

Dresses of beautiful flowered and striped  
crepes, in black and colors. Many styles, suit-  
able for the stout figure. Variations trimmed.  
Come in sizes up to 59-inch bust measurement.

Dresses in a great variety of styles—made of  
tissue voiles in black and blue stripes, organdie collars,  
silk girdles, lace yokes and button trimming. Sizes  
41 to 59-inch bust measurement.

**\$1.00** for Stout Women's  
Dresses—made of  
percale, in stripes and figures.  
Sizes 41 to 49-inch bust meas-  
urement.

**\$1.45** for Dresses of  
Tissue Gingham  
and woven gingham, stripes  
and checks. 41 to 49-inch  
bust measurement.

**Wirthmor Waists, Regularly \$1**  
Just a limited number, but including many styles, in  
voile and organdie combinations, and all sizes up to  
44-inch bust measurement.

**Men's 75c Union Suits, 49c**  
Men's checked nainsook Union Suits, in athletic style elastic  
strap at back and shoulders, with closed crotch—sizes 34 to 46.

**35c Underwear, 23c**  
Men's checked nainsook Shirts  
and Drawers, athletic style  
Shirts and knee-length Drawers  
—34 to 46 chest measurement.

**35c Underwear, 23c**  
Men's balbriggan separate  
garments, in ecru or white—  
short or long sleeve Shirts—  
ankle or knee-length drawers.

Men's extra or regular length Suspenders, with narrow or wide  
elastic, in light or dark shades—regular 50c quality—at **23c**  
(Basement.)



### 30c Special

Regular 12 1/2c Indigo blue  
Foulards  
With hairline stripes and  
small polka dots.

**6c Yard**  
(Basement.)



## KILLS WIFE ABOUT TO LEAVE HIM AND ENDS HIS OWN LIFE

Roy Ritter Shoots Woman After She Had Worked All Winter to Support Him.

HE TRIES TO ESCAPE

Pulls Her Back From Window—Couple Had Kissed Shortly Before Tragedy.

Mrs. Tillie Ritter, 34 years old, of 1904A Dodder street, was shot and killed by her husband, Roy Ritter, 38 years old, at their home last night, after she had worked all winter to support him. After shooting his wife, Ritter took his own life. They were found lying dead in the kitchen, only a few feet apart.

The Ritters were married about two years ago. Henry Pinckert of 1467A Dodder street, Mrs. Ritter's father, today said Ritter had worked only at rare intervals and that Mrs. Ritter had been the breadwinner. For several months she had been working in a factory while her husband was unemployed.

Ritter was appointed a probationary policeman Feb. 24, 1914, but resigned after serving only 15 days. He said he did not like the work.

**Couple Kissed Before Tragedy.** Mrs. Agnes Green of 1413 North Market street visited the Ritters just before he shooting. She had left the house and was going down the back stairs when she heard the shots. Mrs. Green said she knew the Ritters had quarreled recently, but that just before she left the house she saw them kiss each other and believed they were reconciled. Pinckert today said Mrs. Ritter was planning to leave her husband and live with her parents. She spent yesterday afternoon looking for rooms.

Louis Kuhs of 1302 Dodder street, owner of the flat in which the Ritters lived, was in the yard when a shot was fired and saw Mrs. Ritter throw open a back window and try to jump out. Ritter seized his wife about the waist and pulled her back. There was another shot and after a pause two more shots were heard.

**Wife's Clothing Burned.**

Kuhs, followed by Mrs. Green, ran to the Ritter apartments and found the Ritters lying dead on the kitchen floor. Mrs. Ritter's dress was burning and Kuhs extinguished the flames with his hands. Ritter held a revolver in his left hand. He had a bullet wound in his left temple and his wife was shot in the breast and left eye.

Patrolmen from the North Market street station, who arrived shortly after, found several loaded cartridges and empty shells on the floor and concluded Ritter had reloaded his weapon after firing the first two shots. The revolver contained one empty and two loaded shells.

**MOTION FILED FOR NEW TRIAL IN CAMPBELL CASE**

Thirty-Four Reasons for Rehearing Assigned; Court's Attitude Criticized.

L. Frank Otty, attorney for the plaintiffs in the James Campbell will case, filed a motion in Circuit Judge Kinsey's court yesterday afternoon asking for a new trial. A jury last Thursday decided their suit against them by a verdict that Mrs. Elsey Burkham was the daughter of Campbell and his wife, Mrs. Florence A. Campbell.

In the motion 34 reasons for a rehearing are assigned. It is alleged that the Judge throughout the trial, which lasted 14 days, "beamed upon defendant's counsel with a smiling countenance upon every occasion, whereas he assumed a sternness and severance toward plaintiff's counsel which was clearly prejudicial to plaintiff's case."

It is also alleged that the Court had private interviews with counsel for the defense at which plaintiff's counsel was not requested to be present. Other complaint is that the Judge erred in refusing to sustain Otty's individual challenges of certain jurors and to his challenge of the entire panel of jurors.

Improper testimony for the defense was admitted and relevant evidence for the plaintiff was excluded by the Judge. It is further alleged. The allegation also is made that three of the defendants' witnesses committed perjury.

1000 property owners wanted to circulate petitions to prevent property depreciation occasioned by negro invasion. Olive 3055, Central 1507, Room 100 Wainwright Bldg.

**RUTH SOPER, GOVERNMENT WITNESS, AIDS DARNELL**

Testifies She Accompanied Former Pastor of Own Free-Will and Paid Own Fare.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 11.—Ruth Soper, who claims to be the wife of James Morrison Darnell, on trial charged with violating the Mann act in that he is alleged to have transported Miss Soper from Owatonna, Minn., to Chicago and thence to Kenosha, Wis., was expected to continue her testimony when the trial of the former Kenosha pastor was resumed in Federal Court this afternoon. She testified yesterday that her name was "Ruth Soper Darnell," and that she went to Kenosha with the defendant of her own free will and paid her own railway fare.

Other witnesses who are expected to appear on behalf of the Government included Doris Vaughn of Chicago, divorced wife, and Ethel Spurgeon of Avon, Ill., who claims Darnell as her common law husband.

Darnell pleaded not guilty when the trial was begun yesterday.

"Natura" Sacred Bark Comp. Tablets Are best for bowel trouble and constipation. Sold at all drug stores, Mo.

## Woman Shot and Killed by Her Husband, Who Ended Own Life



MRS. TILLIE RITTER

**Terre Haute Cases to Be Reheard.** INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 11.—Although refusing to reduce the bond of the 11 Terre Haute election fraud conspirators, Judge Anderson yesterday granted the petitions for a writ of error and for the signing of a citation formally transferring the case to a higher court. The bonds were fixed at \$10,000 for each year of the prison sentence.

**Car Men Arraigned for Murder.** DETROIT, Mich., May 11.—The three employees of the Detroit United Railway, charged with manslaughter as the result of the killing of 14 persons here April 14 in a collision between a street car and a Detroit, Toledo & Ironton freight train, pleaded not guilty yesterday. Their examination was set for May 15.

## AUTO TIRE THIEF SHOT WHEN HE FLEES FROM POLICEMAN

Newton Robertson Admits Stealing Car From Grand and Shenandoah and Stripping It.

Newton Robertson, a switchman, 23 years old, of 300 St. Vincent avenue, was shot in the right side by one of eight bullets fired at him by Patrolman Albert Shinneman and Private Watchman Charles Hoffman about 2 o'clock this morning. He was taken to the city hospital.

Robertson was carrying an automobile tire when the policeman and watchman met him at Broadway and Antelope street. He said his automobile had broken down and when asked to accompany the officers to where the machine was standing he ran away. He was called upon to halt. Each of his pursuers fired four shots at him before he fell in a patch of weeds at Broadway and Baden avenue.

Later the automobile of Alex Duck-ins, 340A Wyoming street, was found at Broadway and Canan avenue. Three tires and the tool chest were missing. Robertson admitted he stole the machine from Grand avenue and Shenandoah street and stripped it. Two tires and the tool box were found in a shed near Broadway and Canan avenue, where he said he had hidden them.

## PIONEER STAGE COACH MAN DIES

Col. Sanderson Established First Kansas City-Los Angeles Line. BOULDER, Colo., May 11.—Col. Jared L. Sanderson, 94 years old, organizer and chief owner of the stage coach company which first established a passenger and freight traffic from Kansas City through New Mexico and the Southwest to Los Angeles, died here today.

Col. Sanderson himself carried the first mail into Denver. He was a native of Vermont and had lived in Boulder since 1885. He went out of the stage coach business in 1894.

**Clerk of Texas County, Mo., Dies.** HOUSTON, Mo., May 11.—Oliver S. Miller, a Democrat, Clerk of Texas County, died at his home here Sunday night. He was elected last November, but became ill a few weeks after taking charge of his office in January. Funeral services were conducted yesterday by the Rev. G. W. Plum, pastor of the Baptist Church, assisted by the Rev. T. L. Hays.



## The Madison Pump

This is an all patent leather pump made with fine white piping, which sets off the graceful lines of the shoe. The vamp and tongue are made in one piece and do away with a seam over the instep.

Made also in plain gun metal calf with all leather Louis XV heels.

Good shoes are an economy

**Hanan & Son**  
720-722 Olive Street



**Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney**  
OLIVE and LOCUST from NINTH to TENTH

The Best Goods for the Price No Matter What the Price

## Women's Summer Suits—Just Arrived

Of Palm Beach, Linen Crash, Mohair, Ratine, Etc., in Unusually Smart Models

A number of models in Women's Summer Suits, unusually smart, have just arrived and will be ready tomorrow for your choice.

Particular inviting among these Suits are those of "Palm Beach" cloth in Norfolk, in clever semi-tailored effects, and the nobby patch-pocket Suits with tailored straps.

The skirts of these Suits are made in full, flaring style, with and without patch pockets, and may be had in the natural tan, grays and navy and black with white hairline stripes; all sizes 34 to 48.

Prices \$8 to \$15

A number of other models, equally inviting, are in suits of crash, ratine, mohair, etc.

These are in the Norfolk and tailored styles with skirts on full lines, both plain and with pockets. Many of these are in the wanted effects of white skirts with colored coats. Choice from white, navy, oyster color, green, checks, etc. Priced, upward from

\$12.50

A Sale of Women's Skirts  
A Sale of Women's Frocks  
See Today's Times or Star

Third Floor.



## Women's and Misses' New Bathing Suits

Now Ready at Vandervoort's

This promises to be another season of great demand for Bathing Suits, and we are ready with a large variety of clever designs. Many of these models will be found only at Vandervoort's. Among them are the three we illustrate.

### The Model at the Right

This shows a "California" Bathing Suit of black with fetching trimmings of black and white striped value at

\$3.00

### The Model on the Left

This shows a mohair Bathing Suit with white pique collar and piping. This suit has a knit combination. Price

\$4.00

### The Model in the Center

Is a very smart taffeta Bathing Suit, in solid colors, with stripe combinations; square neck and a full skirt. Price

\$20.00

Swimming Tights and Knit Combinations. Priced from 75c to \$2.50

**Suits of Surf Cloth**  
Very popular Suits, trimmed with fancy white braid, have square neck, plain skirts and are made with bloomers. Special at

\$2.25

**Suits of Mohair**  
Another neat model is of mohair in the long waist style; made with V neck. This suit also has the knit combination. Price

\$2.75

**Suits of Mohair**  
A very practical mohair Bathing Suit has the waist and bloomers attached and is prettily trimmed with embroidered dots. Special at

\$4.00

Third Floor.

## White Silks of Every Kind—Are Now in Greatest Demand

White Silks are being used for practically every purpose, and all kinds are in spirited demand at this time indicating a possible shortage.

At Vandervoort's—ready now—you will find a complete assortment, so that you can supply all your needs.

White Silk Crepe and Voile of many weaves, and especially desirable for making fancy blouses. The yard, upward

\$1.00

White Silk Broadcloth, which is especially desirable for making fine outing suits, coats, etc. The yard, upward

\$1.00

White Pongee and Broadcloth, especially desirable for making men's and women's shirts, pyjamas, etc. The yard, upward

85c

White Shantung, which is especially desirable for coat suits, etc. The yard

\$2.25

White Corded Crepes of sheer quality that are especially suitable for making Summer dresses, etc. The yard, upward

\$1.50

White Habutai Silk, especially suitable for graduation dresses, blouses, etc. The yard, upward

50c

Habutai Silks in flesh color or white, which are especially suitable for making lingerie, "Teddy Bear" garments, etc.; 36 inches wide. The yard

90c

White Satin Imperial (or Bridal Satin), which is especially suitable for handsome wedding gowns. The yard, upward

\$4.00

White Satin de Luxe, which is especially suitable for bridesmaids' gowns, etc. The yard, upward

\$1.00

White Crepe Meteor and Moire Crepes, especially desirable for handsome evening or dinner gowns. The yard, upward

\$2.00

Second Floor.

## Crepe Undermuslins at 50c & \$1.00

At these two prices you can choose at Vandervoort's—from a full assortment of Undergarments of this material, so popular because it requires no ironing. Included are:

Crepe Drawers trimmed with Barman edge. Price 50c  
Crepe Knee Skirts finished with ruffle. Price 50c  
Crepe Petticoats made with either a scalloped circular flounce or a tucked flounce. Price

\$1.00

Crepe Nightgowns in several pretty styles, made in the slipover style; some lace-trimmed, while others have pink or blue embroidered dots. Price

\$1.00

Crepe Combinations of either the corset cover and short skirt or corset cover and open or closed drawers; trimmed with Barman lap. Price

\$1.00

Third Floor.

## Hammocks, All Kinds—\$1.25 to \$7.50

We particularly mention one line of Hammocks of cotton which are very effective in coloring (satin stripe design) and unusual values at the price. These are 82 inches long, 36 inches wide and have strong end cords.

\$1.25

Full colored Hammocks in the cotton Jacquard pattern, made of 3-ply cotton yarn, with wide valance, pillow and spreader, size 82x36 inches, price

\$2.00

Full-size Hammocks in richly colored two-tone effects, with large pillow, wide valance, sewed on, and hardwood spreader. Size 80x37 inches, price

\$2.75

Hammocks in beautiful combination colorings of scroll figures with tufted pillow, wide valance and head reinforced with heavy malleable iron tips. Size 82x40

\$3.50

**\$2.00 Lawn Chairs, \$1.25**  
Hardwood Lawn Chair; all joints thoroughly bolted, shaped seat and back; regular

\$1.25

**Lawn Benches at \$1.00**  
Lawn Bench—made with hardwood frame, painted green and red; seat and back made of hardwood, finished in natural oak

\$1.00

See Today's Times or Star for Many Other Offerings



Boy, 16, Taken Mercury Tablet.  
George Cagle Jr., 16 years old, of 1433 Stuart place, employed in the press-room of the Globe-Democrat, swallowed a mercury tablet at 3 o'clock this morning. He was sent to the city hospital. He said he was tired of life because his father had scolded him.

It Helps the Movie Fan.  
Post-Dispatch: The Moving Pictures column in last Sunday's Post-Dispatch made it easy to locate my favorites, and eliminated guessing, and taking chances. That this column may grow and improve is the wish of a  
—TIMES-A-WEEKER.

### Hair Made Beautiful

Wherever you go you hear people comment upon a pretty woman and it is really beautiful hair more than perfect features that give her the appearance of charm, youth and beauty.

Any woman can merit this praise, for beautiful hair is only a matter of care. Just as a plant needs attention and nourishment so must the hair have care and nutriment to make it grow long, thick, soft, fluffy and lustrous. The scalp must be free from dandruff and the hair roots properly nourished as nature intended.

Parisian Sage, a delicately perfumed liquid tonic that is easily applied at home, is just what is needed. It tones up and invigorates the roots of the hair and furnishes the necessary elements to make it grow long, soft, abundant and full of life.

Since Parisian Sage, which can be obtained from Wolff-Wilson Drug Co., or at any drug counter, never disappoints, it is no longer necessary for any woman to be humiliated because of thin, faded, lifeless or unattractive hair—and pretty hair more than anything else, helps every woman to retain her charm and youthful appearance.—ADV.

### The New Golfine Skirts Are Beauties

and you can buy them at comparatively low prices.

—and half the joy at least will be in having them

LAUNDERED RIGHT

Experts do this at the COLONIAL

You, too, will like "The Cleanest Laundry"

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Our parcel post business continues to grow. We pay return charges.

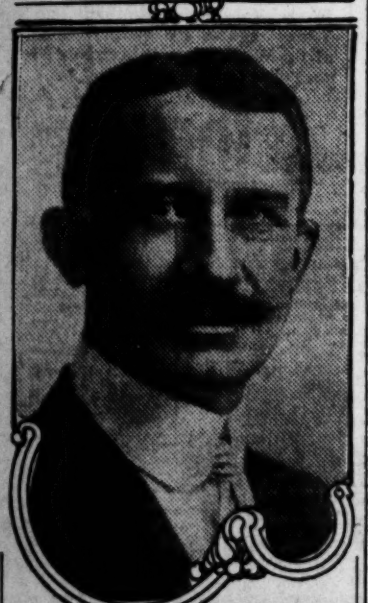


### NEGLECT YOUR SCALP

And Lose Your Hair. Cuticura Prevents It. Trial Free.

Cuticura Soap shampoos cleanse and purify the scalp of dandruff and the dandruff soothes and heals the irritated scalp skin. Dandruff and itching are hair destroyers. Get acquainted with these fragrant super-creamy emollients for the skin and scalp.

Sample Each Free by Mail  
With 32-p. Skin Book. Address post-card, Cuticura, Dept. Y, Boston, sold throughout the world.



OSCAR W. HEINTZE.  
For many years identified with the carpet trade of this city, is again with the "WILTON SYSTEM" in the southeast corner Fourth and Washington, where he will be delighted to welcome his friends and patrons. The seasonal sacrifice he has now in full swing at this big store is an event in the city. The firm will move at an early date to their new store, southeast corner Twelfth and Locust, and are making radical reductions on their entire stock.—ADV.

## 'POLITICIANS SEEK TO RULE OR RUIN EFFICIENCY BOARD'

Chairman Rogers Declares Republicans, and Men of Influence, but Whose Names He Withholds, Are Hampering Work for Sake of Obtaining Spoils.

### 7000 POSITIONS UNDER CIVIL SERVICE RULES

Nearly Half Are for Unskilled Work, to Which Ward Leaders Seek to Dictate Appointments, He Says—Tells of Coercion Attempts

Thomas H. Rogers, chairman of the Efficiency Board, interviewed by a Post-Dispatch reporter today, declared that Republican politicians, "men of influence, directly connected with politics," have adopted a policy to "rule or ruin" the Efficiency Board, for the sake of getting the spoils.

Chairman Rogers said that in so far as he was concerned the board would continue its present plan and would refuse to consider either the politics or religion of any applicant for any municipal position.

"Since the organization of the Efficiency Board," Chairman Rogers said, "every influence politician could bring to bear on the board to induce the members to forget their oath of office and to favor politicians has been used. I cannot think of a means they have overlooked."

Board Not Liked.  
"The Efficiency Board is not liked by politicians. They do not object so much to many of the positions of medium salary being conducted on an efficiency basis, but they do object to the high-salaried positions and the unskilled labor being on an efficiency basis."

"The reason is very plain. There are approximately 7000 positions under the municipal government. Some of these pay high salaries, and are considered by politicians as proper means to pay political debts or to gather political strength for the future. Nearly half of the 7000 positions are for unskilled labor."

"The strength of the ward politician lies in the number of men he can control. If ward politicians were able to fill half the places in the city government, even the \$1.50 and \$2 a day jobs, they would add greatly to their strength. As soon as the board began to make up lists of eligibles for the many different jobs, we began to hear from the politicians. They wanted particular men advanced on the lists so that they would get jobs, while others, who had filed applications ahead of them, would have to wait. These politicians, and many of them, came to the board. They talked to me about the welfare of the party. They recalled that they were Republicans and that I was a Republican."

Will Not Name Men.  
"I told them that the Efficiency Board gave no more consideration to the politics of an applicant than it gave to the religion of an applicant; that it considered neither. I told them the course of the board was outlined in the charter. They wanted to know 'What is the charter between friends?'"

Chairman Rogers was asked to name some of the politicians who had made demands on him. He did not care to do so and he was asked if they were members of the Republican City Committee. "I will say they were men of influence, directly connected with politics. I do not believe it would help the situation any if I talked about individuals. In fact, probably would add to the board's difficulties. We are trying to live up to the letter and the spirit of the charter, and we are having all the embarrassing difficulties that we care to have."

"We were not prepared for the attempt to 'break the back' of the Efficiency Board, but we determined on our course. In the first place, we refused to permit the name of any political compromiser, as such, to remain an endorsement of an application. Whenever one received a request to endorse it from the application. Of course we could not refuse a compromiser permission to sign for an applicant as a citizen, but the fact that he knew he was a compromiser did not influence the placing of the applicant's name on the list. It went on in the order it was received."

"I do not mean to say that every man who filed an application was given temporary employment in the order in which his application was received. Whenever it appeared from the application that the man, either because of lack of education or lack of experience, was not qualified for the position he sought, he was not appointed."

Sent Business Men Around.  
"But to get back to the politicians. They soon found that political influence could not control the board. They then began sending business men here with a suggestion that the board go slow and not attempt to change the system in a hurry. These business men were, almost without exception, Republicans, though few of them were active in politics. I explained to each the charter provisions, and I believe every real business man who came here at the urging of some politician, went away with the belief that we were following the right course."

"The politicians have tried to hold up and coerce measures. When the old Municipal Assembly was in existence, we had a bill pending there for the appropriation of \$100 to pay the salary of the chief examiner of the board. One day a man, who gave me his name, and who was a member of the Municipal Assembly, called me on the telephone and asked me the position of the name of a certain applicant on a list for a particular position. I found that the name was fifty-eighth and told the member,

He asked me to advance the name so that the man could have a preference. "I refused to do so, and the member then called by attention to the appropriation bill. He said the bill never would be passed if we didn't concede something to the members of the Assembly. I told him he could vote for the bill or against it, but that if his vote for it depended on favoritism being shown in the naming of this or any other person he could immediately decide to vote against it. When the bill came to a vote, this man voted for it, but his friend was not advanced on the list of applicants."

"There has been no deviation from our policy except in putting men to work on the free bridge. I would prefer you would ask President Kinsey of the Board of Public Service about that, but as you have asked me, I shall tell you. About forty residents of East St. Louis have been put to work on the bridge, and about twice as many residents of St. Louis."

East St. Louisans Employed.

"The East St. Louisans have been put to work on a written request from the President of the Board, whose request has been complied with by the Efficiency Board because

of its belief that there was a dire public necessity for such action. In other words, we understand that some officials of East St. Louis to employ East St. Louis labor on the eastern approach, and that if they had not entered into the agreement the right of way for the superstructure on the East Side could not have been obtained."

"The Board has not conducted deep technical examinations with catch questions, as many persons seem to think, and there is no intention on my part of using the blue pencil on

the examination questions. We believe we are proceeding on a proper basis."

"I can speak only for myself, but will say that as far as I am concerned the board will continue as it has started, and will adhere strictly to the charter provisions. If the politicians don't 'break our backs' we will have a good working efficiency system within a very short time, and the public service will show the wisdom of the system."

Chairman Rogers refused to discuss Mayor Kiel's recent criticism that the board's examinations are too technical.

## Nugents

### \$23.50 Ostermoor Mattresses

This Special Sale number has created wide attention this Spring; built, not stuffed, snow white inside, at Nugent's only \$14.85 (Fourth Floor.)



## New Spring Suits, Half Price & Less

Suits Formerly Priced \$15.00, \$17.50, \$21.75

Choice of 25 of the latest models in plain tailored and trimmed styles. Every popular fabric is represented, such as needle gabardines, serges and worsteds, black and white checks, English suitings and poplins; all colors and sizes. \$10.00

Suits Formerly Priced \$25.00, \$29.75

Plain tailored and trimmed models, practical and the more dressy styles—every good color—every good fabric and plenty of black and white checks. All sizes— \$15.00

Second Floor.

### \$12 Dress Forms

A special purchase from the Ellanac Acme Dress Form Co. at a great price concession enables us to sell these wonderful 12-section automatic and adjustable Dress Forms at

\$7.49

Bust made of Papier Mache, covered with fast black Jersey cloth; skirt made of flat steel wire to prevent binding. These Forms are perfect in every way and constructed on the present fashionable lines, and the price is the lowest ever quoted on this Form.

Size A adjusts from 32 to 42.

Size B adjusts from 36 to 46. (Basement.)

### Sheet and Pillowcase Sale Wednesday

More than \$5000 worth of ready-made Sheets and Pillowcases in this sale—all new, crisp, clean.

500 dozen Pillowcases, best Utica casing, 42x36 or 45x36 inches; regular 20c quality. \$1.50  
Fancy Pillowcases, hemstitched, scalloped, embroidered and initial designs, 42x36 or 45x36 size; regular 35c to 50c values. \$2.35  
50 dozen 72x90 bleached Sheets, Mohawk quality; some have flaws in the hems, others perfect; 75c value. \$5.35

### Crib Sheets—

45c value, size 45x73, special. \$1.35  
50c value, size 54x73, special. \$1.40

### Hemstitched Sheets—

90x99 size, Pequot Brand, \$1.25 values. \$1.05  
81x108 size, Cohnsset Brand, \$1.20 values. \$1.05

### Best Dallas Brand Sheets

One-fourth less than regular—all perfect and first quality:

65c size 54x90 Sheets. \$4.90  
70c size 63x90 Sheets. \$5.50  
75c size 72x90 Sheets. \$5.90  
80c size 81x90 Sheets. \$6.50  
85c size 90x90 Sheets. \$6.90 (Second Floor.)

## Wednesday Is Lace Curtain Day

### 1675 Pairs

\$1, \$1.25 and \$1.45 Curtains

75c

Nottingham and Scotch weaves; plain or detached figure centers; many desirable patterns; overlocked edges; white or Arabian color. 2 yards long.

### \$11.50 Renaissance

Curtains, \$7.50

Mounted on best quality 4-ply net; trimmed with Renaissance edge and insertions.

### \$7.50 Tapestry

Portieres, \$3.95

Made of durable grade brocaded armure, mercerized finish, assorted designs, best colors.

### 990 Pairs

\$2.25 Curtains

\$1 to \$1.25

Brussels and Saxony weaves; made of best Egyptian yarn, double thread; splendid patterns in stain glass, Colonial and allover effects. Comes in white, cream or Arabian.

### 3050 Yards

19c & 25c Scrim & Etamine

Price, 12c to 15c

Reversible scrim and double bordered Colonial etamine, 40 inches wide, white, cream or Arabian grounds, fast colors.

### 1000 Pairs

\$3.50 Curtains

\$2.00

Irish Point, Cluny or Renaissance or Rocco effects; fine patterns; all perfect; white, ivory, beige or Arabian color; 2 1/2 and 3 yards long.

### 39c Scotch Drapery, 25c

Madras, 45 inches wide in excellent patterns; splendid for curtains or drapery.

### "Tailor Made" Window

Shades, 25c

Splendid quality opaque cloth, mounted on automatic rollers, which are made by the Hartshorn Co. crocheted string attachments, ready to hang. (Second Floor.)

## Quality Rugs Wednesday

### 9x12 Seamless Axminsters, \$22.90

The very best Axminster Rugs, woven by one of the largest mills in America—made of the finest of yarn on the face and heavy material in the back—wonderful wear-resisting quality—9x12 feet.

### Seamless Brussels Rugs, \$13.95

Another big shipment just here, good colors and patterns—9x12, \$13.95; 8x10.6, \$10.95; 6x9, \$7.50; 4x6x7.6, \$6.00.

### Heavy Wiltana Rugs, \$21.95

Wednesday is your day to buy that Wiltana Rug you have been wanting—just a few in exceptionally good patterns and colorings—both the 9x12 ft. and the 8.3x10.6 ft. \$21.95

### 9x12 Wiltan Rugs, \$31.50

75 new Wiltan Rugs, very finely woven—Oriental effects in soft colorings—9x12, \$31.50; 8.3x10.6, \$29.50; 6x9, \$22.50; 4.6x7.6, \$13.75; 3.6x6.3, \$5.95; 2.7x5.4, \$3.95. (Third Floor.)

B. NUGENT & BRO. DRY GOODS CO., Broadway, Washington Av. and St. Charles St.

## All Trimmed Hats

At prices far below actual cost of material; to clear them out we priced the \$5.00 and up values at \$3.10 \$3.00 and up values at \$1.10 All others \$1.00

The Style Millinery Shop  
Anything in Millinery  
218 Mermod & Jacard Bldg.



## \$10 to \$16.50 Trimmed Hats, \$5

Wonderful values are offered at this price—200 Hats to choose from and all stylish hats that embrace all this season's new features. There are large hats, small hats and medium-sized hats.

On many of these hats the trimmings are imported. Some of the most stylish hats in our Millinery Department are included in this sale. On account of the remarkable reductions, we will not exchange or credit any of these Hats \$5.00 (Second Floor.)

## An Important Silk Occasion

### \$2.00 New Silks, 98c

3000 yds. Crepe de Chine, French Taffetas and Radium Silks, 40 inches wide, neat printed designs and coin dots, navy blue, browns, greens, old rose, tans, and sandy shades, splendid for practical dresses or waists.

98c

### \$1.50 Black Chiffon Taffetas, 36

inches wide \$1.10  
85c Black Chiffon Taffetas, 36 inches wide \$1.10  
\$1.50 Silk Poplins, all colors, 40 inches wide \$1.10  
98c Crepe de Chine, good colors, 40 inches wide \$1.10  
\$1.00 Princess Crepe de Chine, all colors, 36 inches wide \$1.10  
75c Silk Foulards, wanted styles, at \$1.10  
50c Silk Poplins, plain or brocades \$1.10

### 89c Chiffon Taffeta, 69c

Remarkable offering just at the time when black taffetas are in the height of fashion for suits, dresses, skirts and waists; a standard quality soft lustrous chiffon finish, rich jet black, Wednesday.

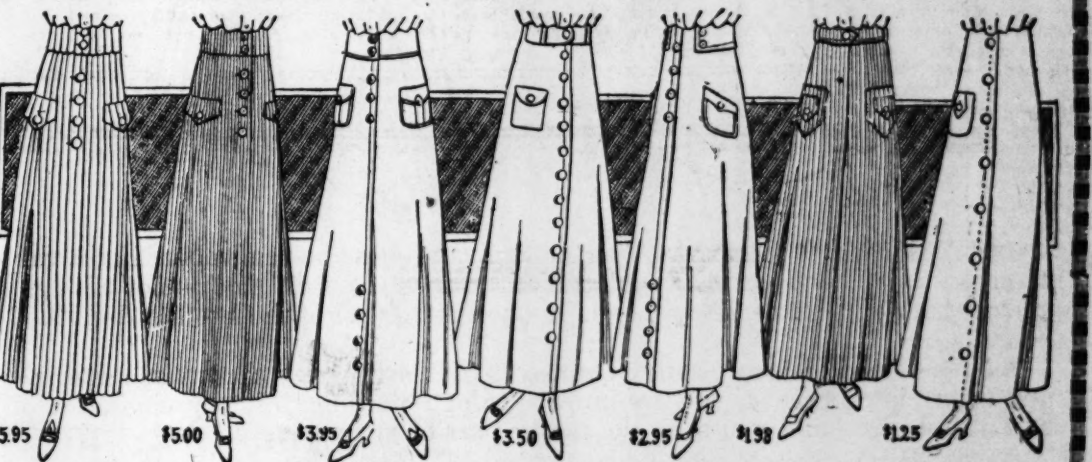
69c (Main Floor.)

### 25c Emb. Tissues, 15c

All new full pieces, in the season's wanted patterns and colors—white and colored grounds with embroidered dots, crossbar effects and fancy stripes. None sent C. O. D. No phone orders filled. (Basement.)

### 59c Silk Ratine, 25c

We have received the second shipment of this wonderful offering of colored grounds with neat printed patterns, plain colors with beautiful silk jacquards, all the wanted plain colors, 38 inches wide. Very special. \$25c (Main Floor.)



## A Thousand Charming White Skirts

\$1.25, \$1.98, \$2.98, \$3.98

A group of wonderful skirts, for these are models which in every clever detail interpret the latest and smartest phases of fashion. The materials are the finest and the workmanship and fit most perfect. Regular and extra sizes.

Beautiful White Ratine Wash Skirts, like sketch, patch pockets and belt, finished with pearl buttons, full flare styles. \$1.25

Extra fine White Pique Wash Skirts, like cut, finished with wide belt and pockets, real Country Club styles, graceful hanging, perfect. \$1.98

fitted skirts. \$1.98

Linen Skirts, fine quality linen, trimmed with pockets, belts and buttons, full flare styles. \$2.98

the new Board Walk, the latest fad. \$2.98

Finest White Gabardine and Palm Beach Wash Skirts, pointed pockets, loose belts, pearl buttons, full flare with wide plaits down front. \$3.98

front. \$3.98

## The Popular Golfine Skirts, \$3.48

These handsome skirts come in corduroy and golfine of a very fine quality, Meadow Brook style, finished with patch pockets, loose belt and large pearl buttons. All sizes \$3.48 (Second Floor.)

## Men's and Young Men's Suits

A World-Noted Line—The Renowned "Wilton System"—Here Now in a Great Sale Remarkably Priced

Men simply can't resist these Suits at the prices our purchase has made possible. It is apparent that the values are extraordinary, from the fact that scores of men daily are purchasing one or more and sending in their friends, is evidence that the values are here. It is no wonder, for the "Wilton System" is a line that ranks with the very foremost in America.

Materials, findings, tailoring and style all impress with compelling force. We know of no better wearing clothing.

Everyone should take advantage of this sale, as it means a saving. There are Four Great Lots—the price of each is only a part of the worth involved.

\$14.00 Men's and Young Men's Suits

The "Wilton System," finest quality. \$9.50

\$18.00 Men's and Young Men's Suits

The "Wilton System," finest quality. \$13.50

\$20.00 Men's and Young Men's Suits

The "Wilton System," finest quality. \$15.50

\$25.00 Men's and Young Men's Suits

The "Wilton System," finest quality. \$17.50 (Third Floor.)





\*\*\*\*\* \$1.00 Hair Switches 39c

\$1.00 Hair Switches, 39c  
WE GIVE AND REDEEM SECURITY STAMPS.

**Penny Gentles**  
BROADWAY AND MORGAN STREET  
ST. LOUIS BARGAIN CENTER

**SUIT AND COAT BARGAINS**  
**\$17.50 Tailored Suits \$7.98**  
 Finest wool material; 157 of these,  
 all newest

No reservations whatsoever—any silk or cloth suit, no matter whether marked \$30, \$35, \$40, \$50 or \$75.

This sweeping reduction enables you to choose from the most exclusive and finest of the current season's fashions. All the ultra ideas are fully represented

—all colors—  
—all trimmings  
—all sizes—  
choice

**\$24<sup>75</sup>**

The most beautiful collection of snowy Summer Dresses ever gathered under one roof. Endless range of styles, novelties and unique trimmings. Suitable models for every Spring and Summer occasion—for dancing, afternoons, graduation, confirmation and the coming June weddings. Washable Crepe de Chine, Striped Silks combined with Crepe de Chine Gimpes, Embroidered Net over Pussy Willow Taffeta, Fancy Crepes, Laces, Organdies, etc. Complete variety of approved styles and special values

at..... **\$10. \$15. \$19.75 & \$24.75**

**Hats of Maline**  
**French Crepe**  
**Velvet and Straw**  
**Kid and Velvet**  
**Leghorn**

**COLORS:** All black, all white, white and black. **TRIMMINGS:** Fancy bead ornaments, ostrich, flowers and novelties. Choice Wednesday, only **\$7.50.**

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of Goline, Rajah, Palm Beach, Poplin, Georgette Satin, Ratine—white, old rose, new blue, putty—incomparable values from ..... **\$1.25 to \$2.48**  
First Floor.

**First Floor.**

**Piracy Calls It Murder.** The Morning Post dispatch from Lisbon on the capture of the *Albatross* is denouncing the sinking of the Lusitania, "piracy," "barbarity," "murder" being among the words used. The Petrograd correspondent of the Morning Post sends a number of expressions of sympathy to the elements of the press, the "pirates," the "thieves," the "robbers," "The Beast From the Bottomless Pit" is the heading of the article in the Novoe Vremya. "A curse verily on the German nation," it says. "They have completed their circuit in history and will now be hurried headlong into oblivion." "For all the abominable deeds of German piracy, this crime is the most astounding," says the Bourse Gazette.

The Corriere Della Serra in an extremely violent article talks of Germany's "luxury of violence" and of increasing animosity against Germans throughout the world. "When peace comes, the Germans," concludes the Corriere Della Serra, "will pay dearly for this."

## ASSIGNEE OF C. C. CRONE FINDS ASSETS ARE WORTH ONLY \$4888

**Realty Man Indicted for Forgery Had  
Estimated Value of His Posses-  
sions at \$24,000.**

All of the real estate owned by one is shown to be heavily mortgaged. In many instances the mortgage exceeds the value of the property, and in only a few instances is there any equity for the estate. His bank stocks, of a total value \$5806, are hypothecated, and \$15,000 life insurance has a surrender value of only \$872.50.

Crone did not own the Waterman avenue home in which he resided. He owned notes, which the appraisers said were of doubtful value, amounting to \$1097. He had \$31.60 in cash. He owned five shares of stock in the Broadway Savings Trust Co., valued at \$325, and 16 shares of Bremen Bank stock, valued at \$4480. These he hypothecated with the Boatmen's Bank.

Do you want a suburban home where the little folks have "lots of play-ground?" See the real estate offers in the Post-Dispatch—especially Sunday.

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**\$1.00 Hair**

**5c \$2.35**

**WITCHES, WIZARDS**



## BRITAIN'S TROOPS UNDER A TORNADO OF FIRE BY TURKS

Landing Parties Confronted by  
Barbed Wire Entanglements  
and Concealed Snipers.

LINER WAS DRIVEN ASHORE

Hundreds Perished in Effort to  
Effect Landing, British Press  
Representative Writes.

By Associated Press.

LONDON, May 11.—The British press representative in the Dardanelles, under date of April 30 has written the following account of operations on the peninsula:

"While Australians and New Zealanders were fighting so gallantly against heavy odds north of Gaba Tepe, British troops crowded themselves with equal laurels at the southern end of the Gallipoli Peninsula. A firm footing now has been obtained. The line stretches across the southern end of the entire peninsula with both flanks secured by the fire of warships. The Turkish trenches would be rendered untenable and the barbed wire entanglements cut by the fire of the ships, but these expectations were not realized.

"The problems British landing parties faced differed from those the Australians solved farther north. Here the cliffs are not high and irregular, but rise about 50 feet from the water's edge, with stretches of beach at intervals. Five of these beaches were selected for disembarkation under the power of warships. It was hoped the Turkish trenches would be rendered untenable and the barbed wire entanglements cut by the fire of the ships, but these expectations were not realized.

"The most terrible of all landings, however, was on the beach between Cape Helles and Seddul Bahr. Here the broken valley runs inland, enfiladed by hills on either flank of which were built strong forts which defended the entrance to the straits until they were knocked out by our guns.

"Although the guns and machine-guns were shattered, the bomb proofs and ammunition chambers remained intact and running back formed a perfect network of trenches and entanglements right around the semi-circular valley. The Turks had mounted machine-guns on the Cape Helles side and had the usual snipers concealed everywhere. The foreshore and valley also were protected by trenches and wire, rendering the position most formidable.

"One novel expedient was running a liner full of troops deliberately ashore, thus allowing them to approach close in under cover without being exposed in open boats. Great doors had been cut in her sides to permit rapid disembarkation and she was well provided with Maxims to sweep the beach while the troops were landing. Owing to her going ashore farther east than was intended, however, it became necessary to bring up a lighter to facilitate the landing.

"The Turks directed a perfect tornado of rifle, Maxim and pom-pom fire on 800 men who made a dash down the gangway. Only a few survived to gain shelter. All the others were killed in the gangway. Disembarkation therefore, which meant almost certain death, was postponed until later in the morning, when another attempt was made. Then, while the liner carrying 2000 men packed in like sardines, with the officers huddled on the protected bridge, lay all day with a hail of bullets rattling against her protected sides, the battleships Albion, Cornwallis and Queen Elizabeth furiously bombarded Seddul Bahr and the encircling hills.

"Liner Pierced by Four Shells. Meanwhile the Turkish line on the Asiatic side tried to destroy the liner by howitzer fire, which was kept under only by the bombardment from covering ships in the straits. In spite of this covering fire the vessel was pierced by four big shells and it was decided to postpone any further movement until night when the troops got ashore almost without the Turks firing a shot as a result, perhaps, of troops landed on other beaches having pushed along and destroyed some Turkish positions."

## POLICY OF THE PARCELS POST ATTACKED BY RETAIL GROCERS

"Uncle Sam is Being Made to Bunko the Consumer for the Benefit of the Farmer," Committee Says.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 11.—At the opening session of the National Retail Grocers' Association, attended by 100 delegates, the parcels post policy of the Government was attacked in a report of the Trade Relations Committee.

"The Postmaster-General's idea is based on a false premise and cannot succeed, because it will cost the consumer more to deal with the farmer through the parcels post than to deal through the legitimate channels of trade," the report said.

"The whole thing is a scheme by which Uncle Sam is being made to bunko the consumer for the benefit of the farmer."

## JUDGE RULES ON MANY POINTS IN BARNES-T. R. SUIT

Says Certain Evidence Allowed  
to Stand Shows No Corruption  
on Barnes' Part.

By Associated Press.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., May 11.—Remarks that such evidence did not show any corruption or impropriety on the part of Barnes, Justice William S. Andrews, presiding in the trial of William Barnes' suit against Theodore Roosevelt for \$50,000 for alleged libel, refused today to strike from the record testimony concerning Barnes' connection with direct primaries legislation, race-track legislation, the franchise tax and his opposition to Gov. Hughes. It was allowed to remain in the record simply to show the plaintiff's position in the Republican party.

Justice Andrews added that he considered that some of the evidence might bear on the election in 1911 of a United States Senator to succeed Chauncey M. Depew and that it should remain in for that reason.

The Court struck out a stipulation to the effect that there was "rottenness" in many departments of the State Government. The Court held that no evidence had been produced which in any way connected Barnes with the matter. In a discussion with William M. Ivins, chief counsel for Barnes, Justice Andrews remarked that he considered the article upon which the suit was based libel per se because it charged a corrupt alliance between Barnes and Murphy. He added that one of the reasons he had allowed evidence on the printing situation in Albany was to give the defense an adequate opportunity to prove, if it could, a corrupt alliance between "crooked business and crooked politics."

Counsel for Col. Roosevelt then began to marshal the evidence regarding printing. Belmont, who arrived today in answer to a subpoena served on him in behalf of Barnes, and Col. Roosevelt lunched together.

Another witness ready to testify was William F. Sheehan, Democratic candidate for United States Senator in 1911, when a deadlock in the State Senate finally resulted in the selection of James A. O'Gorman.

Four of five motions to strike from the record parts of testimony offered in behalf of Roosevelt were denied yesterday, after the defense had rested its case.

That part of former State Senator George B. Agnew's testimony which had to do with the election of Jotham P. Alda as President pro tempore of the State Senate was stricken from the record. The Court ruled there was nothing to show Barnes was in any way concerned in the alleged combination between the Republican and Democratic machines.

Counsel for Barnes tried to get from Justice Andrews his definition of the word "corruption." Justice Andrews indicated his definition was that in law "corruption" did not necessarily mean pecuniary corruption.

## CITY TO FURNISH MUSIC FREE FOR OUTDOOR DANCES

Park Commissioner Plans Program  
for Such Outings in Play-  
grounds Twice a Week.

Park Commissioner Nelson Cunniff, in outlining the plans of his department for the summer, said today they would include outdoor dances at the various playgrounds and possibly at the parks, with free music furnished by the city, an increased number of band concerts, illumination of shelter buildings in Forest Park and the formation, Thursday night, of the Municipal Amateur Athletic Association to supervise baseball, football, tennis, track, basketball, swimming and similar contests.

His announcement was in a speech before the Order of Jovians at their luncheon at the American Annex. He told the Jovians that the methods used by former Park Commissioner Dwight C. Davis would be generally adopted, but that they would be extended.

He called attention to the vast crowds that are being attracted to the parks by outdoor sports. There are 10,000 men playing amateur sports and last season a total of 35,000 persons witnessed municipal soccer games, the average at public contests being about 40,000.

The use of the public swimming pools, he said, is also increasing enormously. He recalled that 25,000 persons were in the Fairground pool in one day last summer and that the number of spectators watching the swimmers averaged about 10,000 a day. Yet he reminded his hearers regretfully that of the 23 largest cities in the United States St. Louis has the lowest per capita expenditure for park purposes.

The outdoor dances at the playgrounds will be under the supervision of the Superintendent of Public Recreation. The Park Department will furnish an orchestra for dances twice a week in every playground and, it is hoped, there will be free moving pictures in each playground every two weeks.

In addition to an increased number of band concerts for the summer season, the Park Department is trying to arrange for at least four public concerts to be given next winter in whatever buildings can be obtained.

Cheer up! When things look black, Phone Chapman, Dry Cleaning, Dyeing.

## BOSTON OPERA CO. BANKRUPT

WASHINGTON, May 11.—The Boston Opera Company which produced grand opera in this city for six seasons, filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy today. The schedule shows liabilities of \$216,000 and assets of \$78,000.

The principal creditor is Eben D. Jordan, organizer of the company who has a claim for \$70,000. A like sum is owed the members of the orchestra, while \$12,000 is due Henry Russell, managing director.

## STRAY DOG BITES 3 CHILDREN, BOY DIES OF RABIES

Two Seem to Have Passed Danger  
Stage Since They Were  
Attacked on April 26.

Scott Moise, 10 years old, of 6710 Mitchell avenue, died this morning in the City Hospital from rabies, the result of a bite inflicted by a stray dog, April 26. Hope for his recovery was abandoned yesterday, and morphine injections were used to ease the pains caused by the spasms of hydrophobia.

The boy was treated promptly after the bite and the most approved modern methods, successful in many other cases, were used, but failed to save him. He was placed in the hospital Saturday, after positive symptoms of rabies had been discovered by the City Bacteriologist, who had been treating him daily.

The reason for the failure of the treatment, it is explained, is that he was bitten over the left eye and that the infection reached the brain before treatment could counteract it.

Two Others Were Bitten. Two children of Patrolman White, of 6336 Old Manchester avenue, who were bitten by the same dog on the same day, were treated in the same manner as the Moise boy, and have so far passed the stage of danger that they were permitted to attend a picnic yesterday.

Scott Moise was bitten on the left arm and over the left eye, the bite in the latter case penetrating the tissue just over the eye. He was taken soon afterward to a physician, who after suturing both wounds. Then he was taken to City Bacteriologist Baldwin's office at the city hospital and treatment by the intensive Pasteur method was at once begun.

This treatment consists of the injection, into the patient's back, of an emulsion made from the tissue of the spinal cord of a rabbit. An injection of 20 to 30 drops of the liquid was given daily, and there was no neglect of any precaution, Dr. Baldwin declares. But Saturday the physician was dismayed to see the unmistakable symptoms of rabies.

Yesterday the boy was unable to endure the sight of water, which threw him into spasms, and further spasms resulted from his efforts to breathe. His vocal cords, at the same time, became partly paralyzed.

The dog was killed soon after running into the White home and biting the children there. It hit another dog, which has since developed rabies, and has been isolated. It is not known to have had any owner. The City Marshal's office is charged with the task of impounding and killing stray dogs, but the appropriation for this purpose, it was announced a few days ago, is nearly exhausted.

Men of St. Louis Who make their appearance a business asset select their wearing apparel from the many merchants' announcements appearing in every Friday's Post-Dispatch. It is profitable.

## Society

MRS. AND MRS. WILLIAM K. BIXBY of Lindell boulevard and King's highway have as their guest their daughter, Mrs. Albert H. Jordan of Colorado Springs, Colo., who formerly was Miss Emma Bixby.

She has come for the marriage of her sister, Miss Ruth Bixby, and Mr. A. Stevens, which will be one of the important affairs of May 13.

Mrs. Clementine Trorlicht of 5657 Waterman avenue will have her five daughters with her by the end of the week for the first time in 13 years and in honor of the occasion she has sent cards for a bridge party which she will give at the Liederkreis Club next Tuesday.

Mrs. Lawrence Fabacher Jr. of New Orleans already is here, Mrs. L. E. Robicheaux of New Orleans is expected tomorrow and Mrs. Fred Hauck of Kansas City and Mrs. Joseph Schnaus of Rockford, Ill., will arrive the last of the week.

Mrs. Max Feuerbacher of 3551 Sidney street also is a daughter.

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Among the St. Louisans registered at the Plaza Hotel in San Francisco

at the St. Clair County Country Club, in East St. Louis, in honor of Mrs. Lawrence Fabacher Jr.

Among the week's important events is the annual spring recital of the Kirkwood Choral Club, this evening, at their clubrooms. This club, which is composed exclusively of musically gifted members of suburban society, was organized, as was the Morning Choral, by Mrs. James Lawrence Blair, during her residence in Kirkwood.

The friendly rivalry thus engendered has lasted throughout the years. On Mrs. Blair's departure for Washington, D. C., where she is busily engaged in similar work, Mrs. Daniel Sidney Brown was made president of the Kirkwood Choral, and under her able leadership the organization has been able to build its own clubhouse, increase its membership, engage the finest soloists for their work. The conductors succeeding Mrs. Blair were her warm friend and gifted co-worker, Mrs. Halsey C. Ives, and William John Hall, who was succeeded by the present incumbent, Rodney Saylor, who has arranged a beautiful program for the concert tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin T. Nugent of 5223 Westminster place, will depart for their summer home in New London, Conn., June 10.

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Horse and Buggy Stolen, 3 Arrests. Three youths, who had just abandoned a horse and buggy at Hamilton and Easton avenues, were arrested about 12:30 o'clock this morning. They said they were Fred Evers, 19 years old, of 5323A Theodosia avenue; Kenneth Kahre, 17, of 5844 Highland avenue, and George Stemmons, 19, of 5900A Easton avenue. The police say Evers and Kahre admitted stealing the outfit from C. Young at 557 Berlin avenue.

## PIANO CLEARING SALE

POSITIVELY WINDS UP NEXT SATURDAY, MAY 15  
TAKE IMMEDIATE ACTION—A GLORIOUS OPPORTUNITY  
TO SAVE MANY DOLLARS—COME IN TOMORROW EARLY.

As our mammoth warehouses were already filled to overflowing with a complete stock of new Pianos and Player-Pianos, we decided to make this OUR MAY CLEARING SALE, an event that will go down in the history of the Piano Business as the GREATEST PRICE-REDUCING SALE ON RECORD. We positively haven't room to carry this additional stock without interfering with our regular business and we have decided to slash prices, terms and conditions that will sell every one of these fine pianos and player-pianos at once.

**This Piano**  
Was  
**\$450**  
Now **\$45**

**Factory Samples**  
We are offering a limited time a surplus of sample demonstrations of pianos just received from our factory, at prices that represent just about the actual cost of manufacture. Each one of these instruments is in every detail and represents the highest of piano-makers' art. The regular price of these pianos are from \$450 to \$750. They are guaranteed for 25 years. In fact, we will give you \$100 to \$250 by placing your order now. Terms of payment as low as rent.

**\$550**—A beautiful Mahogany Player-Piano—good as new. Free home delivery—good buy at \$550. \$1.75 Per Week.

**\$600**—Very latest 88-note automatic trapezoidal Player-Piano—slightly shopworn—as good as new at \$600. \$2.00 Per Week.

**\$750**—88-note Player-Piano—used as a demonstrator—like putting money in the bank—value at \$750. \$2.50 Per Week.

**This Player**  
Was  
**\$550**  
Now **\$235**

Regular Price	Sale Price	Regular Price	Sale Price
\$375 KIMBALL	\$135	\$450 BAUER	\$85
\$175 JEWEL	\$45	\$350 UNDERWOOD	\$65
\$300 EMERSON	\$50	\$350 WHEELLOCK	\$47
\$350 CROWN	\$98	\$350 HOWARD	\$120
\$450 EVERETT	\$45	\$400 MARTINBROS	\$135
\$400 WILLARD	\$175	\$500 STARCK	\$320
\$300 KENMORE	\$168		
\$350 STARCK	\$195		
\$400 KESSLER	\$175		
\$600 STEINWAY	\$95		
\$450 LUDWIG	\$135		
\$375 CRAWFORD	\$95		

**SPECIAL TERMS**  
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NO MONEY DOWN  
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No extra. Free delivery. Free music lessons. 5 years' exchange privilege.  
NEW STARCK PIANOS, \$350 to \$750—NEW STARCK (88-note Solid) PLAYER-PIANOS, \$750 to \$1000. STARCK PIANOS ARE GUARANTEED FOR 25 YEARS.  
Don't wait until it is all over, then wish that you had taken advantage of these very low prices and terms. COME IN TOMORROW—COME EARLY.

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Write for our complete list of used Pianos and Player-Pianos bargains. We have samples to any piano boy place in the U. S. A.  
No Money Down—30-Day Free Trial Offer.  
Our great factory-to-home proposition interest you. See just what the FACTORY PRICE of a HIGH-GRADE PIANO looks like, with all the middlemen's profits taken out.

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## Baby Sulkies \$3.95 and \$5.95

The new Collapsible Sulkey—opens and closes in a jiffy with a single movement and guaranteed for a whole year of running around with a little fellow in it.  
Choice of black or gray:  
With Tops, \$5.25—Without Tops, \$3.95.  
(Rug Section, Fourth Floor.)

## THE LINDELL STORE

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WASHINGTON AVENUE AND EIGHTH STREET

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More Than 1000 All New and Exquisite

## Waists and Blouses

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More Than a Dozen Styles, All Different, of Which We Show Five in the Pictures

And every one of them very new and fresh and fine, clean and crisp—in sizes to fit every woman.

**WAISTS and Blouses of embroidered Voiles**—in sand, flesh and white; have flare collar and are trimmed with Venise lace edge and organdy vestee.

**White Organdy and Jap Silk Waists**—with roll collars and three-quarter sleeves; trimmed with Venise medallions and dainty Swiss embroideries.

**White Galatea Middy Blouses**—with sailor collars and three rows of soutache braid trimming; pocket and front lacing; three-quarter sleeves.

And many more styles for women who are wide awake in buying; who know values when they are much greater than the prices, will buy these for all needs now, or coming soon, if they'll only come in and see how pretty these are—and how good.



(Third Floor.)

## Gowns at Only a Part of Worth, so These Ten Styles Are 55c Ea.



**THINK** of ten pretty styles of Women's Gowns at 55c! Of course not regular 55c Gowns—but several hundred that the New Lindell Store will sell at 55c a Gown tomorrow.

Longlooth Gowns, slipover or square neck, with laces, embroideries and ribbons.

Soft fabric Gowns, slipover style, with entire front, yoke and sleeves of embroidery.

Longlooth Gowns with square neck and yoke of embroidery and ribbons.

Slipover Gowns with the neatest of embroidery edges for trimmings. And six more styles of Gowns of various, very pretty trimmings and material.

The pictures show very truly the styles we have described—thanks to the artist!  
It will be a good Nightgown Day for women tomorrow—at The Lindell! (Second Floor.)

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## April Circulation of the Post-Dispatch

Sunday	362,519
Average	207,758
Daily and Sunday	183,948
Average (excluding Sunday)	

The Sunday circulation of the POST-DISPATCH is equaled by only four Sunday newspapers in the United States—two in New York and two in Chicago.



**Coast of Russia Reached.**  
COPENHAGEN, May 11.—The Political news says that the first steamer of the season has arrived at Archangel, the great seaport on the north coast of Russia, which has been closed by the ice for months.

**New Plague Cases in Havana.**  
WASHINGTON, May 11.—Two additional cases of bubonic plague in Havana, bringing the total to 14 since the beginning of the outbreak of the disease six weeks ago, were reported yesterday.

## NEW YORK WORLD'S QUARTER CENTURY ASSOCIATION DINES

Speeches by J. Angus Shaw, Don C. Seltz and Others at Fifth Annual Gathering.

NEW YORK, May 11.—The fifth annual dinner of the World's Quarter Century Association—the young old boys who have been in the service of the world for 25 years or more, was held in Moquin's restaurant in Fulton street last night. More than 50 of the members were present.

The World's Quarter Century Association was formed five years ago with 40 members. Since then it has added 42 to its membership and lost 10 through death. Sixteen members have been added in the last year, all men who were not previously eligible to join. They were all there last night, including Charles Monaghan and Samuel C. Collins, in the service of the world since 1875.

The dinner was interspersed with speeches by Thomas Y. Crafts, president; Isaac D. White, vice president; Frank McCabe, secretary; William I. Shimer, treasurer; J. Angus Shaw and Don C. Seltz, honorary members. The other honorary members—Ralph Pulitzer, Joseph Pulitzer Jr. and Florence D. White—sent letters regretting their inability to be present. There were 12 more present than at the dinner last year. The association lost by death this year J. D. Jackson, foreman of the World's composing room, and C. K. Olmstead, also employed in the composing room.

## Sure Way to Kill Rats

Worst and Most Expensive Household Nuisance

Millions of dollars of property are destroyed yearly by rats simply because people do not appreciate the destructive power of rats and do not know how easy it is to kill them. Simply get a two-ounce box of Stearns Electric Paste from your druggist for twenty-five cents and use it at night in accordance with the simple directions, and in the morning there should not be a rat in the house.

Nothing else is as effective as Stearns Electric Paste in exterminating rats, mice, cockroaches and other vermin. The government uses it in its fighting against rats. Directions in fifteen languages in every package. AD.

## 2 MEN IN ARMY UNIFORMS ATTACK A CLAIRVOYANT

W. L. Gladstone Fails to Divine Purpose of Callers, but He Saves Diamonds.

W. L. Gladstone, a clairvoyant, failed to divine the purpose of two men wearing the uniform of army recruits, who called last night at his office in the Wellston Hotel, 6128 Easton avenue, to invoke the aid of his occult powers.

One of the men asked him to locate a missing relative, and Gladstone's thoughts were so fixed on this task that, as he led the visitor into his inner sanctum, he did not exercise his psychic talent on his own account. Hence, he did not perceive that the man and his companion were about to attack him, and that he was going to be struck several times on the head with a rubber hose, stuffed with a lead pipe.

But as soon as this happened, Gladstone relaxed, he concentrated his thoughts on his own situation, and soon was "psyching" very nicely. He realized, by his mystic power or in some other way, that it would be a good plan to bite the thumb of one of his assailants, and he seized the thumb between his teeth and, bit until the blows on his head ceased, and the man jerked his thumb away with a yell, while the other man ran out.

Persons outside heard the racket, and the men in uniform were arrested, one of them a block from the hotel, and were taken to Clayton. They said they were James Dreyer and John Wheeler, recent arrivals at Jefferson Barracks, and they offered no explanation of their action. Gladstone had a psychic perception of the fact that the diamonds which he wore, and which he said were worth \$400, might have had something to do with it. He was one of the clairvoyants who moved to St. Louis County after a city ordinance drove them from St. Louis.

## BULLET FIRED AT BARTENDER SERIOUSLY WOUNDS WOMAN, 80

Mrs. Edith Trager, 80 years old, of 1115 North Eleventh street, a bystander, was shot through the breast at 10:15 o'clock this morning while watching a fight at Eleventh and Wash streets, between Vincenz Lolorido, a saloon keeper at 601 Wash street, and his former bartender, known only to the police as Antonio. Mrs. Trager was taken to the dispensary in a serious condition. Lolorido is under arrest, charged with the shooting.

The police say Lolorido told them he and Antonio had quarreled over a woman and he discharged the bartender a week ago. When they met today they renewed their quarrel. Lolorido was shot slightly in the cheek. The police say he showed up times at Antonio. The bartender escaped.

## CONSUL MUELLER CASE DROPPED

SEATTLE, Wash., May 11.—The case against German Consul Wilhelm Mueller, accused of conspiracy to buy business secrets from an employee of the Seattle Construction and Dry Dock Co., was dismissed in the Superior Court yesterday.

The information alleged to have been sought related to the manufacture of submarines here and their shipment to Canada. The Department of State, it is said, let County Prosecutor Lundin know that the prosecution was embarrassing to the administration.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES.

John A. Goelner, 2529 Baldwin  
Frances L. Schum, 1804 Columbia  
Adolph Baltzer, Chicago, Ill.  
Hazel S. Ware, 1915 Arlington  
Irene H. Leonard, Helena, Ark.  
Mrs. Mamie W. Nourse, 5539 Cabanne  
Aile Belue, 1423 Morgan  
Lovie Patton, 1237 Linden  
Charles Jackson, New York, N. Y.  
Freda Rosamond Heppert, New York, N. Y.  
Louis Stot, Centralia, Ill.  
Helen Lena, 3237 La Salle  
Julius E. Schneider, St. Louis, Mo.  
Christina A. Schneider, Oklahoma City, Ok.  
Arthur S. Draper, 522 Whitaker  
Mrs. Beatrice M. Barnum, 2718 Lincoln  
Lawrence P. Angie, 623 Market  
Hazel M. Gohl, 4604 St. Ferdinand  
John Robert Doering, 814 N. 231  
Vida May Turner, St. Charles, Mo.  
Harry W. Knolle, 2215 Pennsylvania  
Katherine E. Frank, 2202 Benton  
Joe Alvord Stewart, Mattoon, Ill.  
Edith Blanche Biddle, Charleston, W. Va.  
Bessie E. Williams, 2636 Pine  
Minnie Lee Jones, 2636 Pine  
Edward Clark, 2641 Pine  
Irene Cook, 2641 Pine  
Clifford S. Branner, Kansas City, Mo.  
Gertrude M. A. Schuler, 4443 Broadway.

## BIRTHS RECORDED.

W. and E. Buckles, 1470 Shawmut, girl.  
H. and C. Thornton, 2544 S. 18th, girl.  
J. and N. Pucker, 2324 S. 18th, girl.  
S. and N. McAfee, 2625 Cambridge, girl.  
G. and C. Curtis, 1214 N. 15th, girl.  
G. and G. Spano, 917 N. 9th, girl.  
G. and E. Braentigan, 3424 Grace, girl.  
G. and M. Riach, 2759 Arsenal, girl.  
M. and H. Reen, 2319 Salena, girl.  
C. and G. Pearson, 1212 Locust, girl.  
V. and T. Kline, 4915 Loughborough, girl.  
A. and M. Rowan, 1212 Locust, girl.  
H. and N. MacCabe, 1714 McPherson, boy.  
P. and F. Whitlow, 1335 Erie, boy.  
P. and M. Weinhardt, 1412 Dillon, boy.  
L. and N. Sarason, 1412 Dillon, boy.  
P. and A. Barisak, 907 N. Taylor, boy.  
W. and I. Scott, 7320, boy.  
G. and E. Prattellone, 1013 N. 24th, boy.  
H. and G. Graham, 841 N. 24th, boy.  
N. and J. Yackey, 1436 N. King's highway, boy.  
A. and R. Kidwell, 1519 Hughes pl., boy.  
J. and M. Hurstler, 428 Concordia, boy.  
J. and A. Stine, 2221 S. 24th, boy.  
J. and R. Russel, 1115 Porter, boy.  
P. and S. Olsen, 1306 N. 9th, boy.  
P. and M. Sundby, 1287 N. 9th, boy.  
J. and J. Meredick, 1404 N. 9th, boy.

## BURIAL PERMITS.

H. Tokraka, 59, 3119 Magnolia, cancer.  
E. Pugh, 54, 2182 Adams, nephritis.  
C. P. Scott, 55, 4425 McPherson, cancer.  
C. R. R. Pugh, 72, 1806 S. 15th, carcinoma.  
E. Bauer, 74, 5715 Garfield, sclerosis.  
A. Bornschien, 75, 4315 A. College, pleurisy.  
R. Brook, 40, 1st Boulevard, apoplexy.  
E. Stalder, 74, 1440, sclerosis.  
S. Thomas Chapla, 2, 180 St. George, accident.  
E. E. Robinson, 80, 4560 Page, intestinal obstruction.  
C. C. Neenan, 61, 11 N. Boyle, hemorrhage.  
C. Schultz, 67, 2387 S. Jefferson, nephritis.

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Originally priced up to \$15 in a wonderful showing at

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## Water Gas-Heated at the turn of the faucet

No fuel wasted to get hot water! No waits when you want it.

### HUMPHREY AUTOMATIC GAS WATER HEATER

Turn faucet in bathroom, kitchen, laundry, or any room in the house, and out pours piping hot water inexhaustible in its abundance.

No work, no bother, simply turn the faucet. Hot water is yours as easily and surely as cold water.

When you turn off the water, you automatically shut off the gas in the heater in the basement. You burn gas to heat only the water you actually use. And gas, the clean, cheap fuel, with the Humphrey heats water at a lower cost per gallon than by any other method.

Simple to Connect  
Put the Humphrey in the basement, connect it to the water pipes already in and to the gas; then light the tiny pilot. That is all there is to do. It is ready for use. Cheap to operate; needs no attention. Hot water is then a mechanical certainty whenever you turn a faucet.



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Elkhorn-Laclede Coke Clean—Economic—\$5.75 Per Ton in Full Loads—All Dealers  
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Wednesday Tomorrow

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Special—\$10.00 \$15.00 \$25.00—Special

We put forth our best efforts in the selection of these Dresses. Assortments are large and the values are unusual



Such a varied array of clever new styles we have never before exhibited. Sizes for juniors, misses and women. Snowy nets, some trimmed with white taffeta, others lace and ribbon trimmed. There are dotted nets, some with braided organdy collars. Dozens of styles and extraordinary values at the prices.

\$10.00, \$15.00 and \$25.00



Daintiest of dainty creations for the graduate and for confirmation. Dancing and party frocks and for the many formal and informal functions that will soon be crowding upon each other in quick succession. The graduate and the debutante should not miss this sale.



Dress Special \$3.98  
\$5 to \$7.75 Values for 3

Clever models in crepe, voiles, Dolly Varden, lawn, crossbar voiles, dotted voiles, etc., in stripes, dots, checked patterns, etc. Wednesday for the one day, \$3.98. All sizes.

## Palm Beach Suits

\$7.75, \$10.00 and \$15.00

Also Panama and Keep Kool cloth in 10 smart new models. Every one should have at least one; they tub or dry clean perfectly—all sizes.

## A Remarkable Blouse Purchase and Sale

Brings 1200 of the Highest Class \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00 Summer Blouses to Sell Wednesday at

# \$1.98



Georgette crepe, handkerchief linen, crepe de chine, organdie, French voile, candy striped and embroidery dotted crepe de chine; Blouses that are entirely new and different; beautiful lace styles, smart tailored models, newest frill and Quaker collar effects and Sport Blouses. Colors white, flesh, novelty stripes & dots. Sizes 34 to 48. Wednesday will be a wonderful Blouse Day at this, your favorite Blouse Store, as seldom have we the good fortune to secure \$3.00 to \$4.00 advance style Blouses to sell at the remarkable price of \$1.98.



\$1.50 Middys for . . . 79c

Fine White Galatee Middys in ten different styles—yoked, belted, Tipperary, sport and plain regulation styles—in all white, Palm Beach, Copenhagen, khaki and white with red; Copenhagen and navy collars; some slightly soiled; all sizes 6 to 20.

THOMAS W. GARLAND

White Golfine Coats . . \$5.00

Values \$7.50 and \$8.00

Smart, belted "Sports" model, with the new swaggar flare and flare collar in the same model and at the same price. Also Golfine in colors, coral, blue, green and apricot; all sizes.

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## Continuing the Great Sale in the Bargain Room

Women's Pumps and Oxfords at a Great Sacrifice

Women's White Canvas Pumps and Colonials; all sizes. Pumps and Oxfords; great variety in tan lines; values to \$3 a pair . . . . . \$1.00 A Pair

Women's Pumps and Oxfords—with cloth tops, in all the wanted colors, in a complete range of sizes. \$3 values at . . . . . \$1.50 A Pair

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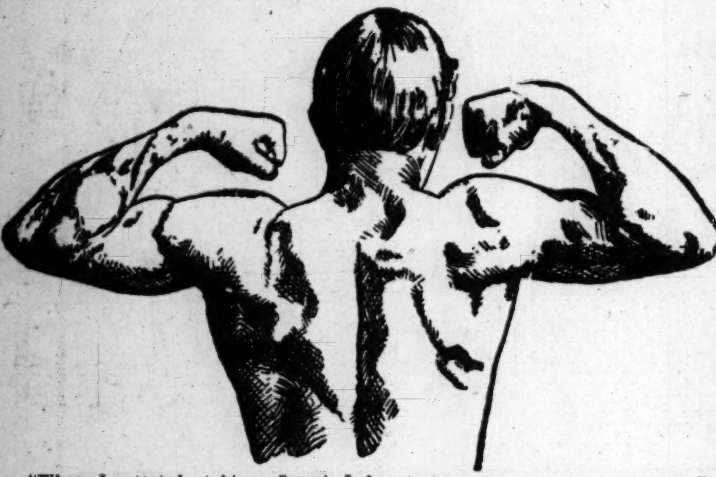
**Aged Woman at Funeral Falls Dead.**  
TERRE HAUTE, Ind., May 11.—Mrs. Mary Settle, 74 years old, who came from Boston for the funeral of her brother, Nicholas Pihbeck, 72, an Indiana Republican leader, fell dead here yesterday.

**Bondholders Attack 2-Cent Fare.**  
DETROIT, Mich., May 11.—Bondholders of the Pere Marquette Railroad filed suits yesterday to have Michigan's 2-cent passenger fare law declared unconstitutional on the ground that it is "consequential of the railroad's property."

## THIN, RUN DOWN MEN AND WOMEN

### GAIN IN WEIGHT FROM TEN TO FORTY POUNDS

Sargol, The Flesh Builder Gives New Life, New Strength, New Vitality And Puts Firm Healthy Stay There Flesh On People Who Are Underweight.



"When I started taking Sargol I weighed 100 pounds, now I weigh 140," says J. C. Wilson. "I put new life in every nerve. Dr. A. McCullough reports he gained 25 pounds and his health was made perfect, sleeps better and feels better than for 30 years. Miss Maud Smith reports a gain of 10 pounds and still eating. Health greatly improved. When thin and underweight people write to say that as soon as they began to take Sargol a part of their trouble they began to feel something in this widely advertised method of flesh building after all! Don't you think you ought to try it, particularly as leading druggists everywhere sell it with the positive guarantee that unless it makes an increase in your weight you can have your money back!"

You may say, "I am naturally thin, nothing can make me fat," but until you have tried Sargol you do not and cannot know that this is true. This folks say thin, no matter what or how much they eat, and they begin to think food has nothing to do with flesh making. But they are wrong. Thin people stay thin because the fats, oils, starches, sugars and other flesh-making elements in their food are mostly passing out of their bodies as waste. Only enough nourishment is retained to keep the body going. Nothing is saved for flesh-making. Sargol of itself will not make fat. But it between meals and you probably will not gain a pound. But a single Sargol tablet with every meal and soon you may be gaining a pound or more a day. Sargol is the missing link between food-eating and fat-making. It makes the food of your meals but flesh on your body.

Judge & Dolph Drug Co., Three Stores, Wolff-Wilson Drug Co., Weipert Drug Co., Johnson-Enderle-Pauley Drug Co., Five Stores. —Adv.

## MAYOR COMES OUT AGAINST PLAN TO SEGREGATE NEGRO

Issue Raised to Win Votes From Parkway Project, Executive Declares.

WOULD VETO MEASURE

Women Arrange for Meeting in Lafayette Park May 22 to Urge Parkway.

**PARKWAY MEETINGS TONIGHT.**  
6:30 p. m.—Business Men's Circle, Annex Hotel; speaker, James C. Jones.  
8 p. m.—Negro Business League, 2732 Pine street; speakers, Moses Hartman and Albert Burgess.  
8:30 p. m.—Rondelet Business Men's Association, Carondelet Branch Library. Speakers, Lee Meriwether and Henry C. Patterson.

Mayor Kiel, in a communication to the Citizens' Parkway Committee, today put himself on record as being opposed to negro segregation movement, in behalf of which initiative petitions are being circulated, with the purpose of having it voted on at the Parkway election.

The Mayor in his statement, says he will veto a segregation ordinance, if such a measure is passed while he is in office. The segregation issue, he says, has been injected into the Parkway campaign as a bugaboo to induce negro voters to oppose the Parkway.

Among the points made by the Mayor in his statement to the committee are:

"The segregation issue has no connection with the Parkway and should not have been brought up at this time, and, in fact, should not be brought up at all in this land of equal rights for all."

"I will say now, as I have already said on several occasions, that I am opposed to the enactment of a law providing for the segregation of negroes. If such a measure designated to carry out such a move ever reaches my office I will promptly attach my veto to it."

"If the segregation question ever reaches the stage of a campaign issue, for or against its adoption, I pledge myself to take the stump and make speeches against it. If it becomes necessary to defeat it."

"The fears of the colored residents that the construction of the Central Parkway would bring about a segregation movement is without foundation. If the Parkway ordinance should be defeated, it would not mean that the advocates of segregation would drop their efforts. They would find some other argument to try to develop a spirit of race prejudice and carry their point."

"If a segregation law ever is finally adopted in St. Louis I am confident it never would become effective. It would without doubt be declared unconstitutional by the courts and promptly thrown out, on the ground that it violates the sovereign rights of citizens by drawing the color line. Such a law could not endure here and would perish in short order."

"Parkway a Necessity."

"The real question to be decided at the Parkway election June 3 is whether commissioners shall be appointed by the Circuit Court to fix the exact cost of the Parkway and make the assessments for the payment of the cost. If the cost is found to be excessive the city will abandon the Parkway plan."

"The Parkway is a necessity and is not a luxury. One of the chief purposes is to solve our traffic problems. The streets are the life of a city. Good streets and good street connections build cities."

"The Parkway will make a wider thoroughfare from the congested downtown district along the main line of travel east and west, connecting the principal highways north and south. It will tie St. Louis together and let it grow as a unit."

**Women Arrange Meetings.**  
Mrs. W. L. Uiter has been elected president and Miss Nellie Quick secretary of a woman's committee, which will work for the Parkway.

A mass meeting of women will be held in Lafayette Park May 22. There will be speeches by men and women, band music and fireworks.

The women workers have pledged themselves to arrange Parkway meetings in various parts of the city. They also will use their purchasing power as a wedge for talks with merchants with whom they deal and with the merchants' clerks.



"Oh You Money Back Bread"

Truly This Bread Is the Staff of Life

The appearance of the daintily browned loaf is an invitation. The aroma when you open the wrapper and later cut the slices makes your mouth water. Where is there food more tempting than good old bread and butter, when the bread is

**MONEY BACK BREAD**

And MONEY BACK Bread is as healthful and nourishing as it is inviting. It provides the king of cereals in a most digestible and delightful form.

After a month, or two months, or a year, you'll enjoy MONEY BACK Bread as keenly as when your teeth first crush the delicately crisped crust. The flavor led us to back MONEY BACK Bread with our sweeping guarantee. Try it—if you are not wholly satisfied, you can get your money back.

All Grocers.

10c large loaves 10c

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Forest 7269 Not in Any Trust  
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Watch for Our Daily Specials

**Wednesday Special**

**Palm Beach Suits**

In this value Wednesday we are giving away \$2.50. These wonderful Palm Beach Suits of guaranteed quality, fully shrunk, elegantly tailored, in Norfolk and mannish effects, with large pearl buttons.

They are perfectly tailored and are wonderful values at the regular price of \$7.50. But for Wednesday only they are priced at \$5.00.

Wednesday we will give away \$4.00 to every woman buying one of these Suits at \$5.00, as they are our best \$12.50 Suits, and will be sold at that price after tomorrow. Panama

Cloths (with the label inside), guaranteed in every way. Six models to choose from. Undoubtedly the greatest value in the city. Wednesday, special, \$8.50.



**Wednesday Special on Wash, Silk and Wool Skirts**

Only we will give 25% off of the regular price marked on every Wash Skirt in our house. It is unnecessary to state that we have every kind and quality of Skirts now fashionable and you can have your choice of any. \$1.00 Skirts, 75c; \$1.50 Skirts, \$1.13; \$2.00 Skirts, \$1.50; \$3.00 Skirts, \$2.25; \$1.00 Utility House Dresses, 48c; etc.

BETWEEN BROADWAY & 6TH ST.  
**FORD CLOAK CO.**  
511-13-15 WASHINGTON AVE.

## ATLANTIC FLEET'S CRUISE TO FAIR MAY BE ABANDONED

Goethals Informs Daniels He Cannot Guarantee That Panama Can Be Kept Open.

**WASHINGTON, May 11.**—After physical conditions in the Panama Canal had been described to Secretary Daniels by Major-General Goethals, Governor of the zone, and Capt. Hugh Rodman, the marine superintendent, it was understood that officials were giving consideration to suggestions that the proposed cruise of the Atlantic fleet through the great waterway to the exposition at San Francisco be abandoned. Gov. Goethals, it was said, informed Daniels that the canal's minimum channel depth now was 35 feet, deep enough to pass safely the largest battleships, but he would not forecast the navigability of the canal on July 4, the proposed date for the fleet's passage. That element of doubt and the present world situation, it was understood, were being considered by officials as possibly warranting the abandonment of the cruise.

The risk of a slide after the vessels had passed into the Pacific, blocking their immediate return in case of emergency, is being pointed to as a possible menace to be reckoned with.

**Japanese Cruiser Rejected.**

TOKYO, May 11.—The Japanese cruiser Azuma, which ran ashore on the coast of Lower California, Feb. 4, has been rejected, according to information received here. The ship will probably be docked at San Francisco.

## YOU can save by buying now

ALL remaining ready-to-wear Suits in our Special New York feature purchase, from "standard" makes of the metropolis, the new fabrics and patterns—crashes, homespun, serges, worsteds, blues, grays, tans, stripes, over-plaids, etc.—Many SILK LINED, and 1/2 to 3/4.

**\$15**

As fine tailoring as you have ever seen; and we guarantee your perfect fit; positively.

NOTE—Included in this \$15 special are 45 selected values from our finer grades—Suits we have held till now at \$20 to \$25—your choice, \$15—NOW.

**M. E. CROAK & CO.**  
712 WASHINGTON

## The Sign of Paint Quality

For almost three score years and ten—since 1846—Platt-made Paints have been the highest product of Painters.

And today this trade-mark represents the final result of this lifelong experience—it is a guarantee to YOU of the best paint your money can buy and the most satisfactory.

You can decorate your whole house with a paint brush if you use "PLATT-QUALITY" PAINTS and FINISHES. Platt's Flat, washable wall paint; Glossene, combined stain and varnish for floors, furniture, woodwork, etc.; Enamel, a brilliant, long-life, stay-white enamel.

Occidental Household Paints in small cans for all sorts of uses about the house. And many others of great value.

Come in and discuss your problems with our HOME IMPROVING EXPERT—He can give you valuable aid.

Most good dealers sell "Platt-QUALITY" Paints—if yours don't, we will supply 72¢. Phone orders delivered, call Main 4456 or Central 2467.

**Platt & Thornburgh Paint Co.**  
7th and Franklin, Saint Louis, U. S. A.

**\$2.25 Suit Cases**  
As a special we offer these high-grade fiber, brass-bound Suit Cases for the day.  
**98c**

**Schaper STORES CO. BROADWAY & FRANKLIN**

**Children's \$1 Trimmed Hats**  
Dainty Milan shapes, flower and ribbon trimmings; 1 hour only (Second Floor).  
**50c**

**Profit by These Hour Sales Tomorrow**

**ITEMS IN THIS COLUMN ON SALE ONLY FROM 9 A. M. UNTIL SOLD**

**10c and 15c Wash Goods**  
Consisting of Ratines, Voiles, Gabardines, Poplins and Satins. (Main Floor).  
**5c**

**Gold Top Jewelry**  
Including La Valliere, cuff Links, Beauty Pins, etc. (Main Floor).  
**23c**

**25c Box Stationery**  
Regulus 25c Box of Stationery. (Main Floor).  
**15c**

**SHINOLA SHOE POLISH**  
Special for One hour only (Main Floor).  
**5c**

**Women's 15c Lisle Hose**  
Good quality lisle, double heel and toe, all sizes. (Main Floor).  
**6c**

**Men's \$7.50 Suits**  
A rare bargain; be prompt to secure first choice. (Second Floor).  
**\$1**

**Women's and Misses' Dresses**  
Values up to \$5, at 9 a. m. sharp, for one hour only. (Second Floor).  
**50c**

**ITEMS IN THIS COLUMN ON SALE ONLY FROM 10 A. M. UNTIL SOLD**

**Children's 25c Rompers**  
Rompers made of good quality chambray, colors blue and tan; sizes 2 to 6 years (Basement).  
**14c**

**7c CALICOES**  
Best grade Calicoes, China blues, grays and choice light Shirts; just the thing for house waists, aprons, etc. (Basement).  
**24c**

**10c, 15c and 25c RIBBONS**  
In widths up to 6 inches wide; all shades and kinds; fine millinery; yard. (Main Floor).  
**5c**

**MEN'S 25c SILK HOSE**  
Pure silk; double soles, high spliced heels. (Main Floor).  
**10c**

**\$1 Comb. Gowns and Princess Slips**  
Lace or embroidery trimmed; slightly soiled (Second Floor).  
**39c**

**50c Dress Silk**  
For one hour; to those getting a check at the Silk Dept. will be entitled to 50c yards; at, yard. (Main Floor).  
**19c**

**ITEMS IN THIS COLUMN ON SALE ONLY FROM 2 P. M. UNTIL SOLD**

**Women's \$1 Low Shoes**  
100 pairs; values up to \$1.50; Pumps and Button Oxfords. (Basement).  
**27c**

**Men's 10c Socks**  
Men's Black Hose; good medium weight; all sizes (5 pairs to customer). (Basement).  
**24c**

**15c Kieffit Oil Tanned Sanitary 5c Chamois 18c**  
Belt. (Main Floor).  
**50c Val. 18c**

**MEN'S 50c UNDY SUITS**  
Medium weight; all sizes; very special. (Main Floor).  
**19c**

**Children's 50c Wash Dresses**  
Gingham and percale; assorted patterns; 2 to 6 years. (Second Floor).  
**29c**

**Girls' \$1 White Dresses**  
Fine batiste, trimmed with lace and embroidery; 6 to 14. (Second Floor).  
**45c**

**SEWING MACHINES AT 50c ON THE \$**  
500 new Sewing Machines, the surplus stock of the Free Sewing Machine Co., were bought by us at 50c on the dollar, and will be sold at the same price tomorrow.

**Beautiful New Drophead Machine**  
Machine, golden oak case; full attachments. (Main Floor).  
**\$8.90**

**The Standard Sewing Machine**  
The Standard Sewing Machine. (Main Floor).  
**\$10.00**

**The New Royal, \$16.90**  
Home Queen and Aviator. High-grade, light-running Machines; automatic lift guaranteed for any of the above can be purchased under our Cash Plan for small weekly payments. (Second Floor).

**\$4 Laundry Stoves**  
Have two 8-inch openings, large cast iron feet; special (Third Floor).  
**\$1.83**

**\$1.50 Screen Doors, all Sizes, 69c**  
1 1/2-in. Thick Mill Door. (Fourth Floor).  
**98c**

**\$2 Solid Oak Rocker**  
Extra high back; cane, wood or cobble; the golden finish (3d Floor).  
**83c**

**Brussels, Wilton Velvet, Reversible Axminster and Bungalow Rugs**  
One large assorted lot of Rugs in floral, Oriental, Persian and small all-over designs; as a special (5x12).  
**\$8.75**

**69c Linoleum, 4 Yards Wide**  
Of cork and rubber; best grade, including some of our Iron Wear Brand. In this sale.  
**35c**

**98c Inlaid Linoleum**  
Remnants 1 yard up to 10 yards, in this sale.  
**45c**

**59c Stair Carpets**  
In assorted patterns; all-wool, with strong dye; as an extra special.  
**23c**

**\$1 to \$1.50 Sample Curtains**  
All mill samples; slightly imperfect; many stripes to match; 3 to 3 1/2 yards long; white and ecru; some samples of 12 and 22.50 curtains; a special (Third Floor), as a special, pair.  
**25c**

**69c**  
12 1/2c Drapery Series, a yard.

**7c**  
35c Window Shades; full width and length; extra good rollers; all colors (3d Fl.).  
**17c**

**GOLD DUST**  
and how it actually works for you

The active principle of Gold Dust is a valuable antiseptic cleansing agent.

It actually works. It gets into the little corners and crevices where fingers and washcloths can't reach.

It permeates and dissolves dirt, grease and grime everywhere and it cleans and brightens everything.

Use Gold Dust not only for washing dishes, but for washing bathtubs and bathroom fixtures, scrubbing floors, washing woodwork, cleaning and freshening linoleum and oilcloth, cleaning and brightening pots, pans and cooking utensils, giving luster to glassware—in short, for any and every cleaning and brightening purpose.

5c and larger packages sold everywhere

**COLE FAIRBANKS MAKERS**

**Duffys Pure Malt Whiskey**  
A Shield Against Ill Health

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Decide right. Get a home of your own for your family. See today's Real Estate offer.

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## A Bevy of Distinctive New Models in New Wash Dresses

Women's &amp; Misses' at

**\$10 & \$19.75**

Fresh as a June rose & delineating the modes that are assured greatest vogue for Summer are these captivating garments.

Twenty individual models fashioned from net, sheer lawn, crepe, tulle, striped organdies, voiles & French or handkerchief linens.

There's a pleasing color range with wide choosing in pink, light blue, gray, green, indigo blue, lavender & white, also Dresden & floral designs, stripes, checks, dice squares & embroidered dots.

## Smart New Models in Washable Skirts

**\$2.98 & \$4.50**

Jaunty new Skirts of cotton gabardine, cross-bar crepe, washable corduroy, pique, Bedford cords, pure linen & Palm Beach cloths, in white or natural tan shades.

Skirts are trimmed with large pearl buttons, tabs, patch pockets, fancy belts & buttonholes & shown in all sizes for women & misses.

Third Floor

## Famous-Barr Co.

ENTIRE BLOCK, OLIVE, LOCUST, SIXTH AND SEVENTH STS.

Largest Distributors of Merchandise at Retail in Missouri or the West.

We Give Eagle Stamps &amp; Redeem Full Books for 25 Cents on \$2.50 in Merchandise—For Restricted Articles Are Excepted.

## 27 to 40 Inch Organdie Flouncings

65c, 95c, \$1.95 & \$2.95 Yd.

Beautiful new Flouncings in attractive designs on finest sheer washable organdie, from the foremost makers in Switzerland.

Exquisite New Lace Flouncings, 75c, \$1.45 & \$2.45

27 to 40 inch white, cream, black & two-toned Flouncings, worked on different foundations of nets, embodying all the latest styles used in imported model gowns.

Main Floor, Aisle 4

Wednesday Has Been Designated for Some Unusual Value Giving in

## The May Sale of Undermuslins

Various specially bought & recently arrived lots of dainty, fresh Undermuslins are here to join in the remarkable one-day value-giving occasion which is calculated to more forcefully demonstrate the helpfulness & importance of this May Sale.

Garments are of newest styles, expertly made, carefully finished & tastefully trimmed. At these Wednesday prices are not to be approached in value.

### Undermuslins

Choice at.....45c

Gowns of nainsook & crepe, in slipover, "V" or high neck styles, lace or embroidery trimmed.

Corset Covers of all-over embroidery, "V" back & front.

Petticoats, double panel, Japanese embroidered.

Boudoir Caps, lace & ribbon trimmed.

Combinations, lace & embroidery trimmed, corset cover & drawers, of crepe & nainsook.

Chemise, Teddy Bear & envelope, of nainsook or crepe, with embroidery & lace trimmings.

### Undermuslins

Choice at.....85c

Petticoats of nainsook, lace & embroidery trimmed.

Chemise, lace & medallion trimmed, sheer nainsook.

Gowns, handsomely trimmed, sheer nainsook, slipover or blouse, plain or figured crepe.

Combinations, sheer nainsook, of corset cover & drawers, lace, medallion & embroidery trimmed.

Corset Covers, with or without sleeves, trimmed with lace & insertions.

### Undermuslins

Choice at.....\$1.65

Gowns, of sheer nainsook, back & front trimmed with lace, Empire style—also embroidery, ribbon beading & bow trimmings.

Petticoats, trimmed with Cluny, Val & Fillet laces & ribbons.

Chemise, sheer nainsook, Teddy Bear or envelope styles—some skirt length styles with lace flounces.

Princess Slips, open front, lace, medallion & embroidery trimmed—also jacquard silk in pink or white.

Corset Covers, very sheer nainsook, with fine lace & medallion trimmings.



COMBINATIONS, women's corset cover & drawers, odds & ends of Princess & waist-line styles of crepe de chine & sheer nainsook Wednesday.....\$2.95

DRAWERS, of nainsook or crepe, emby. & lace-trimmed; Wednesday, 3 pairs for \$1.

GOWNS, odds & ends, sheer nainsook & batiste, lace-trimmed, with wide ribbon beading & rosettes Wednesday.....\$4.95

CHEMISE, crepe de chine or China silk, Teddy Bear style, lace & insertion tops, in pink or white, Wednesday.....\$1.85

PETTICOATS, women's, pique & emby. trimmed; Wednesday, 50c.

GOWNS, hand embd., Jap Silk Gowns, various designs, in pink or white, Wednesday.....\$2.95

GOWNS, pink or white crepe de chine, hemstitched or lace-trimmed slipover Gowns; Wednesday.....\$3.65

DRAWERS, extra size nainsook emby. trimmed Drawers; Wednesday, 3 pairs for \$1.

CAMISOLES, of crepe de chine, trimmed with lace medallions & laces, also tailor-made bodices with double ribbon straps; Wednesday.....\$1.29

NEGLIGES, women's, of crepe de chine, lace & emby. trimmed, in pink, old rose, blue, peach & Copenhagen; Wednesday.....\$3.95

BODICES, of crepe de chine, wide lace top in pink or white—Wednesday at 55c.

GOWNS, extra-size nainsook, empire style, lace trimmed, Wednesday.....\$1.10

Third Floor

## \$30 Dinner Sets

**\$20**

Pope Gosser near china, beautifully decorated, 100-piece sets. These sets have heavy coin gold band with hairline on outer & inner edge, & with additional small black chain border in center of gold band, handles treated with solid coin gold—modern, graceful & practical shapes, with bread & butter plates.

## Sample Cut Glass

**Vases at Half**

All sample showroom pieces of an Eastern manufacturer, there being 10, 12, 14 & 16-inch beautiful Cut Glass Vases, in various shapes & the very newest floral cutting.

Fifth Floor

Good Silks Reach the Lowest Ebb of Prices in

## The May Silk Sale

Present market conditions at once acclaim these silk values as very out of the ordinary—sensational—in reality.

The Silks are of best-known standard manufacture, shown in every wanted color, & offered at these prices because we bought them to advantage.

### 40-Inch Printed Poplins

at 59c  
Silk & Wool Poplins in bright colors, with Oriental printings, at about a third their value.

Silk Shirtings, 29c  
Half silk, splendid quality striped & woven figures, 27 inches wide; fast color.

Cheney's 44-Inch Foulards, \$1  
Neat printed patterns, showerproof, 44-inch Foulards at about one-third under worth.

Striped Silks, 59c  
Stylish monotone stripes, soft & strong, 26 in. wide.

### Black Crepe de Chine

at 44c  
Pure silk, standard quality rich black, 24-in. Crepe de Chine; extra special.

36-In. Tan Pongee, 45c  
Heavy, all-silk, rough weave Tan Pongee, for coats & suits.

Cheney's Faille Francais, \$2.50  
Very soft, rich, heavy, 44-in. Faille Francais in the good street shades.

Fine Foulard, 58c  
About 200 different styles, standard quality, high-grade damp-proof Foulard, 23 1/2 inches wide, in all the best colors.

### 36-Inch Black Bengaline

at \$1  
36-in. heavy quality embossed Black Silk Bengaline Coating at half price.

40-In. Black Poplin, 75c  
Pure wool & silk, brocaded in neat small satin figures.

36-In. Silk Faille, \$1.25  
One of the most fashionable silks, very rich, yard wide, in the wanted shades.

Black Beau de Soie at \$1.05  
Staple, soft, extra strong, all silk, 36-in. Black Beau de Soie.

Main Floor, Aisle 1

## Wonderful, Indeed, Are the Values in This Sale of Men's High-Grade Suits

It's a very out-of-the-ordinary occasion. It's a sale which brings end-of-season prices several weeks before the season-end. This is an evidence of our buying power & an example of our serving power—for now we offer:

**\$22.50, \$25 & \$30, \$32.50 & \$28 Spring & \$17 \$35 Spring & \$22 Summer Suits**

Because we could offer an outlet for the surplus of three high-grade makers of men's clothes is the WHY of this unmatched value-giving.

Hundreds of garments are involved, giving full assurance of pleasing selection as to the model one likes best & the pattern & fabric which pleases most.

Second Floor

## Some Smart Style R. & G. Corsets

**at \$1**

It's an unusual opportunity, this.

Summer Corsets of fine quality batiste, in medium high bust, long over hip, & with graduated back. They are made with rustless boning & trimmed with lace & satin ribbon, having 6 hose supporters & shown in sizes 19 to 30.

High-Grade Corsets at \$1.95

Some broken sizes of better made Corsets, including La Vida, Smart Set, La Victoire & P. N. brands, of French couturiere, batiste, brocades, lace front or back—all sizes in the aggregate lots from 19 to 30, though not in each make.

Third Floor

## May Pictorial Patterns

Are now on sale, Main Floor, Aisle 3, 10c & 15c

## A Thousand Fresh Wash Dresses

To Sell at... **66c**

Bringing Savings of First Importance  
Sixty-six cents is a very small price to pay for such splendid dresses.

Four styles are shown in the illustration, giving some idea of what attractive garments these are. Materials are gingham, percale & linen, in solid colors, of light blue, tan, pink, Copenhagen, as well as plaids, checks & flowered effects. In the making, extreme care has been taken, every dress being finished with care. Trimmings are white collars & cuffs, colored bands & pipings, embroidered scalloping & lacings.

Mothers with an eye to economy will provide supply for vacation as well as present wear; sizes from 6 to 14.

Third Floor

## Automatic Refrigerators, \$21.45

Automatic white-enamelled Refrigerators, side-icer, 75-lb. ice capacity. Wednesday, special reduced price, \$21.45.

### Lawn Swings, \$4.48

Large size, 4-passenger Lawn Swings, with adjustable seats—Wednesday special, reduced price, \$4.48.

Window Screens, adjustable, 30 inches high, extends to 37 inches wide—Wednesday, special, 25c.

### Hot Point Electric Grills at \$2.95

Hot Point Combination Electric Grill & Toaster: just 40 of them left over from Hot Point week, at this price, while they last.

Lawn Mowers, "Rex" brand, high wheel, easy running, 14-in. \$2.95 16-in. \$3.19

House Paints, ready mixed, all colors—Wednesday, while 100 gallons last—1 qt. 24c 1/2 gal. 48c 1 gal. 96c



Sterno Canned Heat Stoves, 50c  
In illustration, with nickel-plated cooking vessel, stove & can of Sterno heat.

"Landau" Sanitary Kitchen Cabinet, white enamel lined, with complete set of glassware—special, \$15.95.

Motor Waterpower Washing Machines, fully guaranteed—special, \$9.45.

Mrs. Potts' Irons, 69c  
A complete set of Mrs. Potts' nickel-plated iron, with cast-iron covered heater.

Polish Mops with bottle of polish—special, 50c.

Farber Brodus, 5-bowed—special, 25c.

Leuco Laundry Soap, 10 for 25c.

Walke's Extra Family Laundry Soap, 1 for 25c.

Rub-No-More Soap, Powder or Chips, 8 for 25c.

Basement Gallery

We Sell Free Sewing Machines at \$1 Per Week

## Genuine "Chalmer's Porosknit" Union Suits, 58c

These are seconds of the \$1 quality, in white or ecru, short sleeves, ankle or three-quarter lengths.

Men's Union Suits, \$1.33  
Fine silk striped nainsook, pure Irish linen, plain silk & fancy silk striped.

Men's Union Suits, \$1.48  
Discontinued stock numbers of fine lisle, mercerized & silk lisle, in white, ecru & Nova.

Men's Sample Union Suits, 59c  
Lisle, mercerized & fine cotton, spring & latch needs ribbed garments; various styles.

Men's "Fitrite" Union Suits, 67c  
Fine combed cotton ribbed, all styles with perfect closed crotch.

Men's Rockchair Union Suits, \$1  
Fine sheer plaid nainsook, crepe, also polka dot & figured nainsook; fully 1/2 below regular value.

Men's "Fitrite" Union Suits, \$1.15  
Fine lisle, white or ecru; all shapes & styles.

Men's B. V. D. Underwear, 38c  
Shirts, short sleeve & athletic style; drawers, knee lengths.

Men's Balbriggan Underwear, 31c  
Shirts in long or short sleeves, drawers with double seat.

Men's Union Suits, 48c  
Large plaid & small check nainsook, also soisette, with closed crotch; made full sizes.

Main Floor

## Genuine "Chalmer's Porosknit" Underwear at 29c

White or ecru Shirts, in short sleeve or athletic style; drawers ankle or knee length—termed as seconds, but you would have to be an expert to detect any imperfections. They are the 50c qualities.

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Main Floor

## Extraordinary \$2 Trimmed Hat Sale, Basement Economy Store

**\$5 to \$12 Values**

The Greatest Event of Its Kind St. Louis Has Ever Known  
The values are the most remarkable of the season. High-grade Hats of striking individuality for Midsummer wear are here—many of them having silk facings.

There Are Shapes of Beautiful Leghorn, Italian Milans, Fine Milan Humps, Lisiere Braids & Genuine Panamas  
It is an event worthy an early morning visit Wednesday to have first selection from these splendid Hats. Six of the Hats are here illustrated.

**\$5 to \$12 Values**

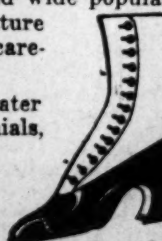


## 2,000 Pairs of Women's Shoes, \$1.25

### "Factory Checks" From Two Eastern Makers

Smart Spring styles these are, just such Shoes as are being accorded wide popularity for Spring & Summer wear. The defects are of minor nature & in many instances are imperceptible except after most careful scrutiny. In none is the service impaired.

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### COLLAPSES IN PRIZE RING, DIES

NEW ORLEANS, May 11.—Natalie Lafaud, a local bantamweight boxer, collapsed between the third and fourth rounds of a bout here tonight with Ed-

ward Kern and died in a hospital a half hour afterward. Spectators said that Kern knocked Lafaud down twice and that the boxer also fell twice during the bout. The police ordered the arrest of Kern. Action in the case of Tommy Burns, former heavyweight champion of the world, promoter, and Walter Griffin, referee, was deferred until tomorrow.

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## HEALTH TESTS FOR WAITERS AND COOKS SUGGESTED

City Hospital Alumni Society Points Out They Could Spread Disease if Afflicted.

PLAN IS PUT UP TO CITY

Physicians Would Empower Health Department to Make Examinations Compulsory.

That standard joke of the funny paper men about the waiter's thumb and the bowl of soup is not such a joke after all, in the opinion of the Medical Society of the city hospital alumni of St. Louis. While the society is not attempting to abridge the waiter's immemorial privilege of putting his thumb in the bouillon, it is at least trying to make certain that it will be the perfectly clean digit of a perfectly healthy and sanitary waiter.

By a resolution formally adopted May 7, the Society has recommended that the city government make it one of the duties of the Health Department to see that all cooks and waiters in hotels, clubs and restaurants are examined frequently for traces of communicable diseases and that none be permitted to work when found so afflicted.

The resolution points out that consumption, cancer, diphtheria, grip and various other diseases can easily be communicated by persons handling food and dishes. It recommends that the Department of Public Welfare take the matter up and give to the Health Department full authority to take action, so that any person suspected of having any of these diseases may be barred from serving the public.

**Doctor Tells Experiences.** The society, of which Dr. Francis L. Reeder, of 3346 Berlin avenue, is president, has appointed a special committee to take the matter up with the city authorities and arrange for a conference to work out the details of any legislation that may be adopted.

One physician, active in getting the resolution adopted, who, for reasons of "medical ethics," wished his name withheld, said he had made personal observations of the matter for many years. He is a member of one of the city's most influential clubs, but because he has eaten there for years, because so many of the kitchen and dining room helpers have sought his professional services for ailments that are communicable.

He told of going, several years ago, into one of the downtown cafes frequented by wealthy business men. A waiter came to take his order, and, after the ancient custom of all waiters, gave a little apologetic cough behind his hand before handing the doctor a napkin. The doctor gave one look at the waiter, his trained eye detecting at once the traces of a disease, and departed from the place forthwith, never to return.

**Health Certificates Suggested.** Members of the society believe that managers of all these places could be compelled to require all their employees to present health certificates. Places could be left on them for the O K stamp for re-examining physicians. An employee found to be diseased should be dismissed until he can get a clean bill of health. Such a procedure, the doctor thinks, would be advantageous to the employer and the waiter as well as to the public. Many of these waiters suffer dangerous maladies, he declares, without knowing what is the matter with them, and getting medical advice in time.

The doctor pointed out that the Government is doing this identical thing in Panama. A report in a recent medical journal declares that the examiners have found several waiters and cooks who were typhoid carriers. One railroad also is doing it in connection with its dining car service.

**MAN BECOMES INSANE OVER TORPEDOING OF LUSITANIA**

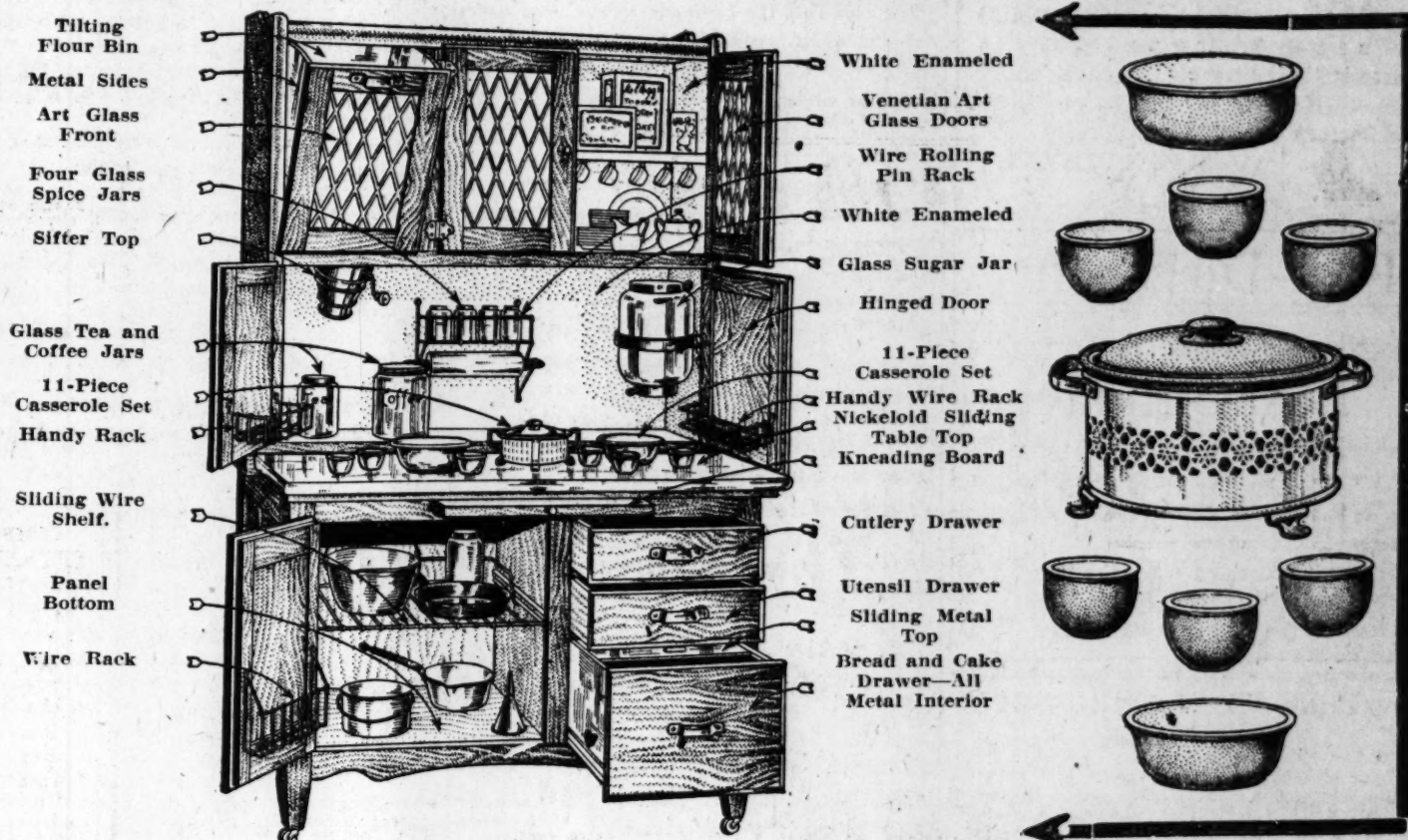
Tailor at Danville, Ill., Taken to State Asylum; Case Hopeless, Physicians Believe.

DANVILLE, Ill., May 11.—John T. Summerfield, a tailor, with a place of business on East Main street, was taken to the State Hospital for the Insane at Kankakee today, his mind wrecked by the torpedoing of the Lusitania. Summerfield had taken a deep interest in the European war and besieged the newspaper offices for the latest details of the sinking of the liner. Sunday he became violent and had to be taken in custody.

Two local physicians expressed the belief that Summerfield would be permanently insane. He is 47 years of age and has a wife and three small children.

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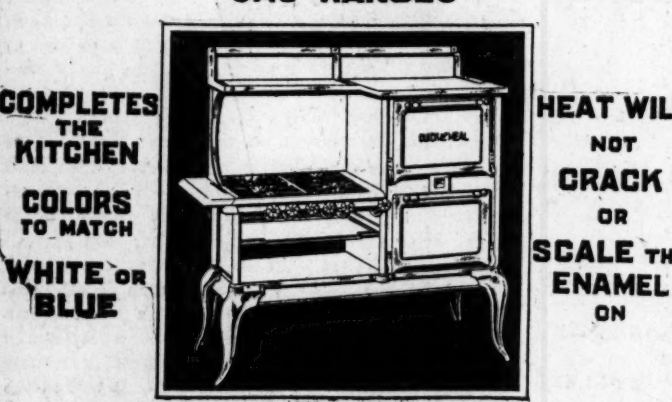
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## LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Americans at Heart.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
The discussion of the past acts and histories of the nations now at war is not a breach of neutrality when conducted soberly and calmly, and is very interesting to me as I read it in your paper. But in the fever-heat, "in the very tempest, torrent and whirlwind of our passion we should acquire and beget a temperance that may give it smoothness."

There is no doubt in my mind that those partisans with different views are all equally loyal to our country though they see things from different points. And I am sure that our hyphenated citizens are just as loyal today as those of other days who fought with Sheridan or with Sigel, with Grant or with Thomas.

The hyphen is not a bar to loyalty nor is it a bar sinister. It is a golden band of love that binds two nationalities with a perfect love for each stronger for the union. And the man who would deny that bond is the man to be suspected. Benedict Arnold lacked the hyphen. Commodore Barry, the "Father of the American navy," wore it with pride. Being offered the command of the fleet ship in the British navy, his answer was: "I am a poor man, but the British Government has not gold or wealth enough to buy me from the service of America." And should anarchy, treason or invasion ever raise a brazen head over this fair land we hyphenated people will be there with our other fellow citizens to meet and crush it no matter what the transgressors.

PATRICK J. MCGINTY.

The Cancer Mystery.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
L. Duncan Bulkeley, A. M., M. D., Senior Physician, The New York Skin and Cancer Hospital, etc., does not believe in the theory that cancer is of parasitic origin. He attributes it to over-eating, wrong drinking—dietetic errors. He regards a rigid vegetarian diet as preventive. Dr. Bulkeley's long experience entitled his opinions to consideration. ALTRUIST.

Reserved Seats.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
The United States does not reserve seats for ladies. In reality, it has no right to reserve seats for anybody. OLD PASSENGER.

"Let Germany Be Right."

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
We Germans should not lose our heads in this crisis of the Lusitania affair.

We must not assume that everything done by Germany is right. They make mistakes also. Let us see upon what principle the right of attack upon noncombatant vessels is based.

Germany has declared a blockade of the British littoral. But the Treaty of Paris of 1856 (the principles of which still govern) declares that "a blockade to be binding, must be effective, and to be effective it must be maintained by a force sufficient to prevent access to the enemy's coast." We Germans must admit that no such force has been established. The British littoral is not patrolled by German squadrons. Hence the destruction of noncombatant vessels, bearing hundreds of neutral Americans and German-Americans is not justifiable, because until Germany's naval forces can and actually do "prevent access" to British ports, all vessels other than combatants have the right to pass through, and having that right Germany has no right under the tenets of international law to destroy them.

Blockades must be blockades de facto, and general, not merely effective at particular points or haphazard.  
It is this mistaken conception of "the actuality of blockade" which resulted in the overthrow of Napoleon when he declared all Europe in a state of blockade. All Germany fought against it then. Let us not reverse ourselves now.

Let Germany be right under allies.

A DEUTCHEN ADVOKAT.

Kawakami a Free Lance.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
I appreciate your goodness in sparing so much of your valuable space for my article on China, published in the Sunday Magazine.

I must, however, explain that I have no connection either with the Japanese Government or with Premier Okuma. I regard myself as a free lance, always free to express my views without any influence back of me. I have not always defended the Japanese Government or the activities of the Japanese. I am what the Japanese officials call a radical. As you will notice on page 126 of Japan's Message to America, copy of which I am sending you under separate cover, I am a Japanese by accident, but I prefer to think that spiritually I inhabit the whole earth. I may become an American citizen the first moment your naturalization law is so modified as to extend the privilege of citizenship to my countrymen.

K. K. KAWAKAMI.

## GERMANY'S INVALID PLEA.

Germany's note on the Lusitania horror evades the vital issue, from the American standpoint, and fails lamentably to justify her action from any standpoint.

The United States has no complaint to offer against the sinking of a British ship. Our concern is the slaughter of Americans without warning or opportunity to escape, in violation of international law and agreement. From the standpoint of humanity we are concerned in this illegal and murderous method of attack, which drowns noncombatants of any or all nations, neutral and belligerent.

If Germany could prove that the Lusitania was armed and prepared to resist she could justify her warningless attack on the ground that the Lusitania was a British war vessel. But the proof is all the other way. Germany does not even make the specific charge against the Lusitania.

The plea that the Lusitania carried war material and other contraband is absurd. The fact that a merchant ship carries contraband does not in law or usage justify the drowning of her passengers and crew or set aside an obligation of law and humanity.

The argument that because Great Britain is trying to starve the German people Germany is justified in taking retaliatory measures, no matter how illegal and barbarous or whom they hurt, friend or foe, noncombatant or combatant, neutral or belligerent, is wholly untenable. It is part of that sophist plea of military necessity and paramount national interest which has served as the German excuse for every violation of law, obligation and civilized usage. If the plea of interest or necessity is valid in justification of war measures and methods, we may send treaties, agreements and the whole body of international law to the bottom with the Lusitania and her hapless passengers. It is indefensible in law or in morals.

The United States cannot accept Germany's excuses as valid. We have a double duty to perform. We must stand for our own rights, our own honor and the protection of American citizens against lawless and unwarranted attack or injury. We must insist upon our rights and the obligations of others towards us.

We should go beyond this and stand for civilization and humanity against every pressure of war madness and desperation. We should insist upon the rights of neutrals and noncombatants to protection against ruthless slaughter. We should insist upon open seas for neutral shipping and safe seas for all who go in ships without hostile intent, under the protection of law. We should insist that every safeguard thrown around neutral and noncombatant persons on the ocean shall be rigidly observed.

Nothing is lost by patience, forbearance and deliberation, if we gain our object. Everything may be gained by them. We should stand upon right, not might. We should be careful to have on our side justice and the moral judgment of the world. We may well heed Bismarck's wise counsel not to be the aggressor, but to have with us "the weight of the imponderables, which weigh far more than material weights." Let all the guilt and the aggression be against us.

When we have ascertained our right and duty, however, and have decided upon the course demanded by our own honor and interest and by the welfare of mankind, we must stand firm. The responsibility for the consequences will then rest upon those who are against the right and want to trample justice and humanity and civilization under foot.

## JAPAN'S SECOND THOUGHT.

Very likely Japan withdrew its heaviest demands on China, lest their enforcement create the impression that Japan, like its allies, is a Christian power.

## RULES FOR AMERICANS.

"Americans should stay at home," says Herman Ridder. The distinguished editor undoubtedly wrote hurriedly. On reflection probably he would put it more crisply in these words: "Americans should get off the ocean." Studious compliance with this advice would be a preliminary stage in evolving the more effective and comprehensive rule of action, "Americans should get off the earth."

## DISCOURAGING OSARK PROGRESS.

A resident of Crawford County calls the attention of the Post-Dispatch to the fact that, as in a former year, the Frisco Railway has revised its time table for the Salem branch, which serves Crawford and Dent Counties, so that it will take a man who lives at any point on this branch line all day to get to St. Louis, instead of from three to five hours, as he could with the winter train schedule.

The complaint points out that, with the winter schedule, he was able to start from Steelville at 8:15 in the morning, get to St. Louis at 11:30, in time for dinner, transact his business, and return on an afternoon train the same day. Under the new schedule, which the Frisco puts on for the summer months, he starts at the same time, but must stop over at Cuba, the junction point on the main line, and waste his time there until 2:35 p. m., when he may take the train to St. Louis, getting here at 5:35 p. m., thus putting in an entire day on a trip of 95 miles.

Upon what theory does the Frisco Railway arrange this summer schedule? Is any other part of its territory discriminated against as is this promising Ozark region, which has thousands of acres of land fit for improvement, at prices highly attractive to the settler? Farms in that region are advertised in St. Louis and thousands of St. Louis people have made their homes

there. Why discourage further progress by practically cutting off transportation during the summer season?

## PRACTICAL CIVIL SERVICE.

The city's Efficiency Board correctly insists upon technical efficiency in men or women whom it certifies for appointments to official posts. It correctly insists upon retention of unskilled as well as skilled labor under the merit system. The board's tests, thus far, are sound. Its mistake has been made in the manner of applying these tests, or some of them.

Mayor Kiel's friendly criticism, aimed not at the character of the tests but at the way in which these have in some instances been applied, will be helpful to the board, which he appointed, and with whose purpose to enforce genuine civil service he heartily sympathizes.

Thus, candidates being asked technical questions, the answers to which few if any men carry in their heads but which can readily be found in authoritative manuals or textbooks, should be given full credit if they answer such questions by stating their purpose to consult the authorities when need arises. It is a hardship to mark a man, otherwise competent, zero for candidly confessing his inability to answer such queries offhand from memory.

The merit tests should be searching, to determine fitness, character and adaptability; but they ought not to be memory tests, since the ablest men are not always, nor even usually, those with photographic memories for technical details. It should be deemed sufficient, as in private affairs, if the candidate proves he knows where to seek such details when he may need them.

It was inevitable there should be some friction in shifting the city's big payroll from the spoils to the merit system; that there has been so little friction appears to prove that the city already had a high average of efficiency in the majority of its public servants.

## THE FEATHERED HUMORIST.

Alluding, of course, to the catbird. He has more whimsies than a minor poet, more streaky humors than a circus clown. He can't even make love seriously. And he's a loafer. He sits on a bough at a brookside out in the country, at early morning right about now, his hat over one eye and his head cocked sportily at an angle; so sitting, he whistles love lyrics to his little brown mate busily engaged collecting materials for a nest.

The redbird, nor even the mockingbird, has nothing on him in respect to purity of tone, careening grace or sheer joyousness, however much they may excel him in range of repertory. And he knows it. And his little brown mate knows it. And she's proud of it.

But he can't behave; just as his passionate love notes have lured her momentarily off the job of nest-building, to turn and regard him with pleased eyes, the whimsical rascal throws his head back and meows like a cat or caws like a crow—it's all a joke to him. Little brown mate flirts her tail indignantly, turns her back on him and resumes work. Then he flies around to another bough where he can catch her eye again and begins a new serenade. Her sudden wrath doesn't worry him a particle. He knows women.

## THE VITAL ISSUE.

Any loafer can tell any listener exactly who started it, why, and what our Government ought to do about it, but it takes a real citizen to keep his lawn mowed, his alley ash cans cleaned and covered and his store bills paid up promptly every 30 days.

## WINSTON CHURCHILL'S BLUNDERING.

Winston Churchill's explanations in the House as to why precautions were not taken for the safety of the Lusitania in view of the prior threats were weak and unsatisfactory. "The general principle is that merchant traffic must take care of itself," he declared under interrogations by Charles Beresford.

But that is a principle which will presently leave the British Isles isolated and cut off from the necessities of life, if the effectiveness of the German submarine attack improves as much in the next two months as it has in the past two. Merchant traffic has not been left to take care of itself in former British wars. Why should it be so left in this war?

What has been given to the public as the view of American naval experts expresses the general view in this country of the performance of the British fleet. Aside from clearing the seas of commerce destroyers and a few war vessels of inferior strength, the British navy has yet to execute those masterstrokes expected of it. It has exerted a useful moral influence on the enemy due to the respect felt for its traditions and force, but how long will that continue without performance? How long will faith persevere at home without works?

If Germany has built 200 new submarines since the war began, tremendous pressure will be applied at England's most vulnerable point.

## THE DEFERENCE TO ITALY.

Italy has a merchant marine of respectable size, ranking about seventh in the list of maritime nations.

But no important Italian ships have fallen victims to undersea onslaught. Early in the war a few fishing boats and other small craft were sunk by mines in the Adriatic. But the deference shown to Italian sensitivities after their destruction was most profound. Italian rights on the seas were thereafter respected. Deep Teutonic sorrow was shown over every minor cause of Italian grievance. Rome has been cultivated most assiduously by Berlin and Vienna. The solicitude over anything that might affect her attitude has been manifested in extraordinary ways—even by offers of valuable territory to be added to her dominions.

Has the purpose of the shrewd Italian statesmen been, not to engage in the war, but to insure Italy a square deal in the general confusion of European issues, violation of neutral rights and collapse of international law? If so, the purpose has been accomplished. To none of the neutral nations has so much consideration been shown as to Italy, which assumed an unfriendly position from the start.



ROLLIN KERRY

STAND BACK!

## JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH by Clark McAdams

## THE CRISIS.

UPON your word thy people wait  
In silence fraught with grave portent;  
Restrain the passion and the hate  
Lest hastiness we may repent.

Blinded by grief, rash men will urge  
A sharp reprisal on the seas.  
Thro' our beloved land will surge  
The war-flame and its infamies.

Let hot words fall upon thine ear  
Faint as far distant whisperings.  
Remote, aloof with conscience clear,  
We take no part in strife of kings.

Ours is the nobler, finer part,  
To bind sad wounds, relieve distress,  
At peace, with thankfulness of heart,  
To stay a world-wide hungering.

Upon your word thy people wait  
In silence fraught with grave portent  
Beside you, as you meditate,  
Stands One who is Omnipotent.

—HARRY C. JANUARY.

## SOMETHING RATTLED, ALL RIGHT.

Two farmers went to town to buy automobiles, each of them taking \$2000. One bought a Ford and the other got a medium-grade car, paying all of his \$2000 for it. The man with the big car got his engine started first and was about half way home when he stuck his machine in a mudhole. The man in the Ford finally got his engine started and when he came to the big car stuck in the mud he ran around on the grass and got by as slick as a whistle. The other man got out in a little while and ran on home.

"I beat you in, after all," said the man with the Ford.

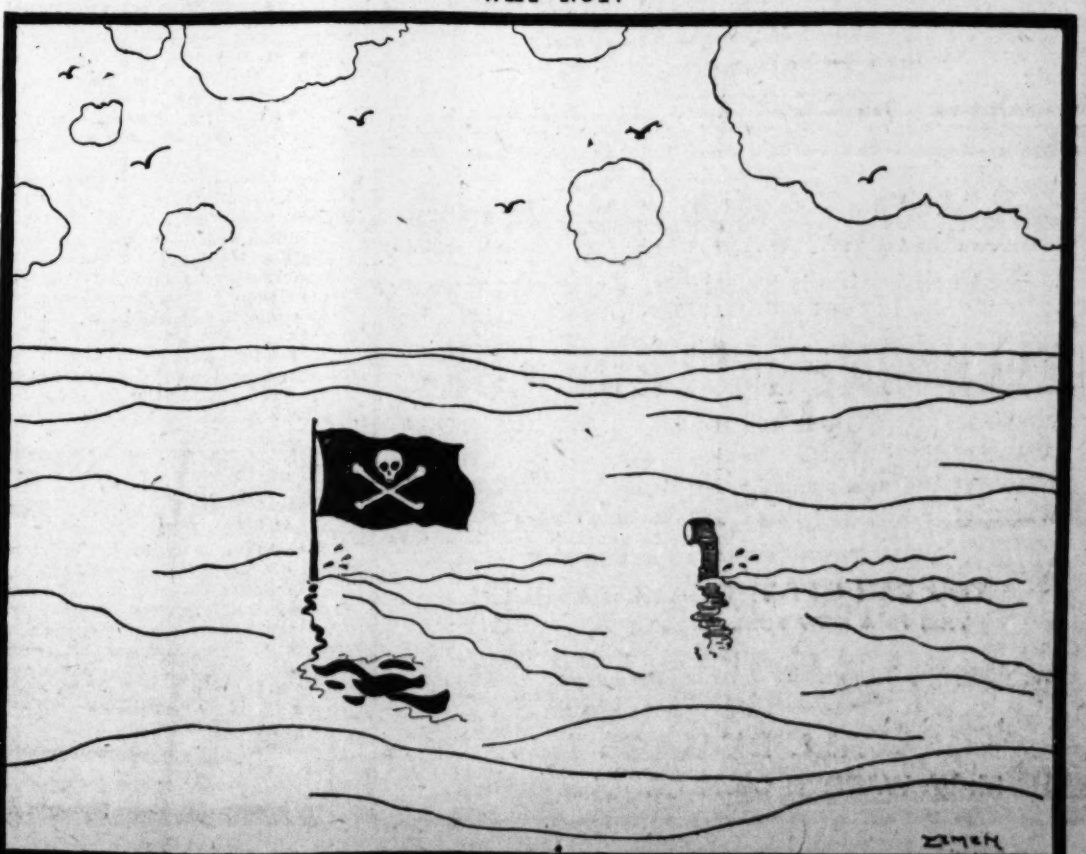
"Yes; but I thought I heard something rattle in your car when you passed," the other man answered. "You did," said the Ford man. "It was the \$1500 I had left."

## WHAT MIGHT HAVE BEEN DONE.

THE Lusitania was coming! There could be no doubt about it. Everybody was running back and forth on the submarine, and there was in every heart the tremendous thrill of the hunter who has finally sighted big game.

"I'll tell you, though," said the Captain. "We won't sink her with all those people aboard. That is a big boat, and there cannot be less than 2000 people on her. There are women—children—Americans—all that sort of thing. What we will do is this: We'll rise offside and make her stop on penalty of being blown up as she runs. Then we'll order everyone into the lifeboats, and as soon as the boats are clear we'll blow her higher than a kite. It is a nice day, the sea is calm, and there is no reason why everyone cannot get ashore. If there are not boats enough, we cannot be blamed for that. It will be the ship's fault."

## WHY NOT?



## ANSWERS TO QUERIES

MISSISSIPPI.—Your task is about hopeless, not knowing county and description of the land. No information we can give would help you.

MRS. R. F.—We agree with your attorney that the decisions of Missouri are against you in an action against the landlord in your case; we do not think you will be successful in recovering anything from him.

ANNA.—You have as much to say as they and can refuse to pay the license. Why not suggest they buy your third interest? If they haven't the cash they can make a loan on the property for enough to do so if not now encumbered.

T. R. B.—According to decisions, accident company will be obliged to pay beneficiaries though assured has committed suicide, unless it can prove he contemplated such act at time he took out the policy.

GRATEFUL PERSON.—See Clark McAdams' Probate Court, who may inform you the reason for the delay. You may do as you like in reference to another attorney; that is your privilege. Possibly some litigation is keeping back the settlement.

R. E. T.—If the proceeds of the life insurance policy was made payable to his estate, the same would be subject to the claims of his creditors; if made payable to certain beneficiaries and the premiums in any case earned 10 percent (only) of your wages if a married man; if not, no exemptions.

J. R. S.—We cannot advise you more than to have the title investigated; that alone would disclose whether you have a good marketable title. As to the other facts, the examiner can inform you when the examination has been completed. The writer has personally within the past week investigated many transactions of the man you mention and found the same perfect. We believe you need have no fears.

INTERESTED.—The question of renewing the first deed of trust is for the holder thereof to say, or what arrangements can be made should he want the money; he may give the papers up uncanceled upon receiving the principal and interest due him and he may insist upon stamping the principal and interest note paid, thereby invalidating the notes and the deed securing same, necessitating making a new loan, which could hardly be obtained in the face of the second. If the holder insisted upon the latter course, things would look mighty blue for the owner of the realty. As a rule a second mortgage is made to fall due before maturity of the first and thereby give the holder thereof in a better position than if made to mature subsequent to the first, and is always advisable, though the margin (or equity) be sufficiently large.

K. F. F.—The certification of the new would not be made at this time, such request must be made at the time of record of the deed of trust. Certification is no assurance against forgery; if the deed and notes were forged at the time and thereby the certification by Recorder would not make them genuine, while certification may do so in certain ways, in others it would not do so; it would not make a fraudulent release of the deed of trust, which question you ask; but whether certified or not, if the notes you hold are the genuine ones you could have the notes and aside by court proceeding. Certification may be convenient to some real estate men, but not convenient to those who are not concerned with the matter. Then again, the mortgage or mortgagee may not care to spend the small extra charge made by the Recorder for the certification. Personally we do not see much to be gained by the certification.



## The Yellow Dog

Wherein a burglar and would-be murderer is tracked by the ghost of a bloodhound and is finally captured.

By John Robbins.

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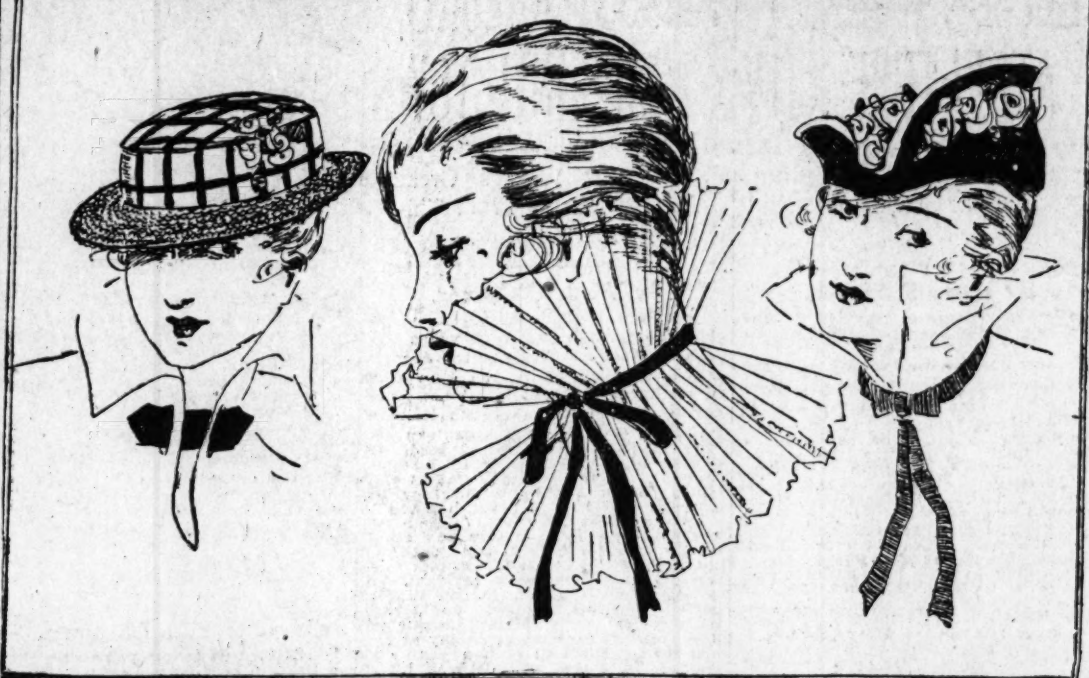
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## Feminine Neck Wear the Limit in 1915; Women Relinquish Low Neck Comforts



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"What d'yer mean?" demanded the policeman, looking at him curiously.

"That old white and yellow bloodhound, that's been following me all night."

"I didn't know old Barrett had a bound," commented the policeman. "Ain't batty, are you? He had one answer that description once, years ago, but he was killed by the last man that tried to break in here, away back in the '90s."

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## My Wife's Husband

By Dale Drummond.

Chapter XXIX.

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Then a little farther down:

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Just at the close of her letter Jane said:

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I slept heavily and was awakened in the morning by the boy with a wire from Dr. Webb saying he would perform the operation for Mrs. Prentice if his diagnosis agreed with mine and if he found an operation necessary; that he would be in Chicago the next day.

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## Tessie and Tags

By Mrs. F. A. Walker.

YOU must remember poor, little Rag, who died in defending the baby Tessie. Well, this story is about another dog named Tags, that belonged to Tessie when she was a big girl.

Tessie's father was a Colonel in the army and took the family with him, when he went to his post in the far West. At first the girl liked the change, for she lived in the fort and just outside was the vast prairie, stretching for a long distance till it joined the edge of the sky, miles and miles away. Tessie would gallop her pony, Dixie, about for miles in the grass, which just came up to her short legs. And every time the child went on a ride Tags ran by the side of the pony, scaring up butterflies and other things.

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## The Art of Popping the Question

MANY a man, and many a woman for that matter, is pining in the shades of single blessedness who might have emerged into the sunshine of matrimony long ago if they had been quick-witted enough to see their chance, old enough to take advantage of it when they saw it. Though matrimony is a serious step in life it has often been brought about by a joke, which, if one of the parties had not been sufficiently witty to perpetrate or the other had not been sufficiently smart to see and take advantage of, the happy union would never have taken place.

For instance, a doctor who had been attending a lady friend was, on her recovery, asked what his charge would be. He replied that he seldom or never made a definite charge to his patient-friends, being well content to leave the matter, not only to their own time, but to their own sense of what was due.

"But are you not often very disappointed with the result?" asked the lady.

"I may say that I never am," said the doctor.

"As you are so easily pleased, here, then," said the lady, giving the doctor her empty right hand, while she kept concealed a check for a handsome amount in her other hand. "How easily I could have taken you in!" she said a moment later, laughing in the doctor's face and showing him the check.

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PITCHERS OUT OF FORM Stallings' Twirlers Likewise Complaining; Johnny Evers Out of the Game.

By Walter Haggood,

Baseball Editor of the Boston Herald. BOSTON, May 11.—Teeth gritted to do things against the world's champs in their first 1915 start in the East, the St. Louis Cardinals today may shift their lineup and battling order to get a stronger, sturdier drive.

Huggins threatens to eliminate himself because of a sore arm and put Miller at second, Hyatt at first and Chief Wilson, whole again, in right field. Huggins brought his horse from Chicago into town last night, though six of them—Duck, Perdue, Robinson, Roche, Becher and Glenn—arrived here Sunday night direct from Pittsburgh and had the pleasure of watching the Braves browbeat the Giants yesterday at Fenway Park, 14-5.

Miller J. blames his pitchers for the loss of five straight to the Pirates and the Cubs, but says his hurt arm will be effective enough to get a 50-50 break or better in the East.

Boston fans are a little more than between Stallings' twirlers and Huggins' hunkies. The fans only regret that Evers, because of his hurt foot, will not be able to meet Huggins' fire with his own Trojan brand of flame.

Braves' Pitchers Ailing.

Stallings' pitchers are bothered with sore arms, but the chances are the champs will throw Big Bill James or Dick Rudolph at the Cards in the opener, figuring the per cent is always with the winner in the opener.

Hug said this morning Duck or Lefty Robinson would pitch for the Braves. Polly Peritt, dubbed nose not yet well, and with strange teeth in his mouth, shook hands with the Cards last night before leaving with the Braves in the fourth game for New York. Best of feeling between Polly and his 1914 pals.

Huggins praises the work of Butler, Long and Snyder, and claims that the Cardinals of today are superior to the Cards of yesterday. He says the Cardinals are over, he'll have his club out in front of the stadium for the Clark Griffith to throw down a conductor and take his punch away. The club needs one.

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## Promoter's Life No Sinecure.

AUCOUS helps from the republic of Cuba are being mailed out by disappointed associates of Jack Curley, who promoted the Willard-Johnson contest in Havana. Editors, press agents, politicians, publicans—all unite in expressing the opinion that Curley looks, to them, like a Confederate note to a safe blower.

Making due allowance for the disappointment embodied in the column Curley's connection with wrestling and boxing affairs has been unfortunate. In that most of the shows have been followed by controversies of one sort or another—not to mention money to go around among all the box office assistants.

At Havana—well that never came off, but we are getting the whiff of its sequel, the Havana fight.

Nevertheless the Cuban show, as a battle, seems to have been a success. In that it eliminated Johnson the Black. For that alone we are prepared to forgive Curley many of his misdeeds in the past.

Sue 'Em for Damages, Walter.

WALTER JOHNSON ought to have a nice little dance suit—hypothetical, of course—against Clark Griffith. Nonsupport, conspiracy to ruin his reputation, charges might be alleged by the "freak king" of the pitching world.

Johnson is pitching tremendous ball this year—winning ball. But thanks to nonsupport he looks like a flivver. He hasn't even won half his games this season, his record being three won and four lost.

The fact that he has allowed the enemy only 45 hits in seven games shows what his work has been; but his club has been so badly run that he has been unable to get the best out of his arm.

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Leader of the White Elephants Says the Only Player He Misses Is Frank Baker.

PITCHERS NOT RIGHT

As Soon as They Are Athletics' Leader Expects They'll Be Fighting for Flag.

Connie Mack is no laughing matter. But Larry Lajoie is 40 years old and Eddie Collins has just turned 28. And, therefore, when Connie Mack tells us that he would not trade Lajoie to Chicago for Collins, it strikes us as a giggle-getter.

"I know you're going to laugh," said Connie in all seriousness at the Planters Hotel this morning, "when I tell you I would not trade Lajoie for Collins, but don't. At least I won't."

"I mean every word of this statement," I wouldn't trade Lajoie for Collins. Understand, I'm not saying that for effect, because it would have no effect on Larry. It's merely my opinion on the matter.

"My team doesn't miss Collins. No, Baker is the only player we miss. Kopt is a nice player since he recovered from his injury, but Kopt isn't a Baker, and that's why I'm looking for a Baker. We miss him."

"I really dislike the idea of talking on Baker's case. I am pursued by newspapermen in every town who want to know the 'true status of Baker's case.' I have grown quite sick of discussing it."

### Baker's Demands Not Clear.

"But I'll say this: Baker signed for three years with us before the Federal League was a factor. We are obliged to live up to that contract. He seems privileged to violate it. Now it's either all right or all wrong. One day Baker will be objects to the length of his contract. Another day he says the salary is at fault. Again he says he wants to quit baseball. But he's playing with the Upland team at a big salary, so I don't know what he wants. However, I'll never trade him, not for a franchise."

"He belongs to my club and we need him. He has no reason for disregarding his contract. That's all I care to say about him."

"My team is down there now, but it will come. I have a good team, barring third base. I have five young pitchers who know how to pitch. I'm not worried about that department. They will come, although off to a bad start. We will be winning and up there soon."

"I'm sorry can't talk more, but the first day in town is my busy day. I have letters to write and a meeting to attend. Good-bye."

And then Connie plunged into a stack of correspondence, none of which is overlooked by the team technician.

## Guy Morton Couldn't Win Games Until He Dropped That Waterbury Wind-Up

Sensation of This Year's Cleveland Team, and of the American League Pitchers, Lost Twelve Straight Battles, Last Season, Using His Squirrel-Brand Delivery.

### NO. 9—WHO'S WHO IN BASEBALL.

THIS is to be a squirrel-brand baseball season, judging from the nut-sundae aspect of early conditions. For time it appeared as though baseball was standing on its head, with Philadelphia, Cincinnati and the Yanks upheaving the two big races.

This little story adds another nut to the crop. In the person of Guy Morton, the young grighthand hurler of the Cleveland Indians, who, even more than Roland of the Tigers, is scorching his way to the front.

Last Year Guy was called in from the minors to take a shot at becoming a major leaguer. He fired 23 shots before he scored a victory—one round dozen failures before he won. Now he's burning up the American League, a reversal which caused Old Man Lajoie to hike for the bombproof Morton has won every out but one and shows no sign of quitting. In fact, he seems all wound up for a good season—he came from Waterbury, if you remember, so he ought to be there at the windup.

### What Morton Has Done.

FOUR earned runs in 47 innings, an average of .81 per game, is the record owned this season by Morton. This makes him the champion of the early season twirlers. This mark is better than that made by Dutch Leonard in topping the A. L. twirlers last season. Leonard's record was 1.0. Morton's last five starts have resulted in victories. Three of them were shutouts.

All of the earned counts that have been charged against Morton this year came in one battle. That was in the clash with the White Sox on April 20, which the Indians won for him, 6-4, putting over a three-run rally in the ninth round.

Morton's first out of the campaign was anything but a success. Pitched in three rounds and during that time his mates managed to kick in three runs behind him, enough to beat him.

Here's his record:

DATE	R	ER	H	BB	Ings
April 15	0	0	3	2	9
April 20	4	4	11	2	9
April 25	1	0	6	0	9
May 2	0	0	4	3	9
May 5	0	0	4	3	9
May 9	0	0	4	3	9
Total	5	4	31	15	47

## Columbus Boxing Commish Shows It Knows Game

Protects Fans Against Poor Bout By Refusing to Grant Promoters Permit.

Public officials, mere fans, and those who are financially interested in the future success of the boxing game, might draw a few lessons from the Columbus Boxing Commission. If boxing were conducted throughout the United States as it is conducted in the capital city of Ohio, complaints would be reduced to a minimum, promoters would be protected against their own shortsightedness and the fans would have little cause for worry.

For instance, it recently was announced that Roger O'Malley, Toledo, and young Joe Thomas, Columbus, had been matched to meet in a 10-round bout in Columbus May 10. The promoters made the announcement and placed the matter before the commission. Then came the shock.

"It doesn't look like a good match," chirped the commissioners. "The bout doesn't look good enough to warrant the usual prices. With that assertion the bout was canceled."

A boxing commission which shows such consideration for the men who pay the freight, and which shows a keen desire to protect everyone concerned certainly will do much to raise the sport in the estimation of the public.

## John Nicholson Had Nothing on Robert Simpson

Missouri U. Now Has Another Great Point-Scorer in Hurdler and Broad Jumper.

COLUMBIA, Mo., May 11.—Robert ("Bob") Simpson, who won two firsts and two seconds at the Missouri-Ames meet Saturday, though but a sophomore in the University of Missouri, is one of the greatest stars who has ever wore a Tiger track suit.

Already he ranks second to none but the renowned Nicholson, and bids fair before his career is over to outshine that star.

Simpson was an athlete of fame before he came to Missouri. In the high school meet at Columbia in 1913, in which he represented the small Bosworth High School, he won two firsts and a second, breaking two records by broad jumping 22 feet 3 1/2 inches and high jumping 5 feet 9 1/2 inches.

In the Western A. A. U. meet at St. Louis in the summer of 1913 he entered three jumping events, representing the K. C. C. C., and was second in the high jump, and second in the broad jump and individual point winner, Lee Talbot being the first.

In 1914 he came under the tutelage of Coach Schulte, who saw in him the makings of a great hurdler, and began to teach him accordingly. In the Western A. A. U. meet of that year he was second in the low hurdles, and was second in the high hurdles, also taking second in the broad jump.

### Ties World's Hurdle Mark.

Running for Missouri this spring at the K. C. A. C. meet he tied the world's indoor low hurdles record and finished second to Loomis at the Penn games last month he finished second to Kelley of California in the 120-yard hurdles. In the Missouri scored 18 points, winning first in the high and low hurdles and the broad jump and second in the 100-yard dash. In the 220-yard hurdles he broke the Missouri Valley record by a 1/2 of a second, this mark was disallowed because he knocked over one hurdle. Simpson is a six-footer, broad-shouldered and well built.

## Braves Lacking in 'Punch' With J. Evers Missing

That Johnny Evers is a great part of the Boston Braves three-ring circus is the belief of Sid Mercer, the New York Globe's correspondent, traveling with the team.

After reviewing the recent series, Mercer contributed the following opinion: "Until George Stallings gets Johnny Evers back on the job, and his 'Big Three' in shape, the Boston Braves are not likely to obtain the lead they fondly hope to have on July 4. Without Evers only Rudolph to depend upon now they are not gaining much ground with their pitchers."

"Evidently Fitzpatrick, who looked so good at second base against the Giants last week, has not measured up to the Stallings standard. He has not been replaced by Dick Egan, who is not hitting. The absence of Evers surely has made a difference in that infield."

### Hoerr Departs Next Week.

Roland Hoerr, Washington University student, and at present Missouri Valley tennis champion, departs next Thursday night to compete in the annual M. V. net tournament at Lincoln, Neb. Tr Hoerr makes a good showing in the Missouri Valley tournament he will be sent to Chicago to compete in the 2nd State tennis tournament.

## ST. LOUIS CLUBS MAY COMBINE FOR WESTERN MEETING

Conference Tonight Will Decide if Championships Are to Be Held Here.

A meeting of the A. A. U. officials will be held tonight to decide whether or not the Western A. A. U. championships will be held in St. Louis or some other city next month.

The Southern A. C. has put in a bid to hold the events, while officials of the Columbian A. C. announced today they would render all assistance possible to hold the meet in St. Louis.

Floris Curran, president of the Western A. A. U., has been in Kansas City for the past few days and will be present at tonight's meeting and give his report of what he found in Kay See.

It is possible that a plan will be discussed according to which all the local clubs will combine to keep the events in this city. On account of staging its own outdoor events for May 23, the C. A. C. does not itself feel able to put over the events unassisted.

But the University of Washington has offered the free use of the Stadium for the games, if held in this city.

Men of St. Louis Who make their appearance a business asset select their wearing apparel from the many merchants' announcements appearing in every Friday's Post-Dispatch. It is profitable.

### Concordia Cancels Game.

The game scheduled to be played tomorrow afternoon between Washington University and Concordia Seminary has been set back a week at the request of the Seminary officials.

## Atlas Shur On Eyeglasses

Stick to the nose without pinching; they are lighter, more elegant and less noticeable than the older models, and COST NO MORE.

It will give us pleasure to fit you with a pair.

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### Manual Defeats Smith.

The Manual Training School nine yesterday afternoon defeated Smith Academy, 5-4.

A two-run rally in the eighth round netted the Manual boys the victory. Graham and Meyers formed the battery for the winners. Smith's Schaefer and Linn did the heavy work for the losers.

### Boxing Show at C. A. C.

A card made up entirely of special matches will be featured at the third amateur boxing tournament to be held at the Columbian A. C. Friday night. Ladies are admitted to the bouts at the Training School. The official expect a good many of the fans to attend Friday night's show.

## It's a mighty short way to pipe-joy

if you go via Prince Albert—tobacco that answers every question any man can hand out! You can jam it in your old jimmy pipe or roll it into a makin's cigarette and it will produce more real and true happiness than any brand at any price you ever bucked up against. Now, let's all get together, and repeat slowly and distinctly:

# PRINCE ALBERT

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can't bite your tongue, and can't parch your throat, because it is made by a patented process that removes the bite and the parch. No other tobacco ever was or can be made like P. A. And P. A. tastes as good as that sounds!

So the warm tip is: Get the jimmy pipes out of dark corners, out of the rafters, where you've hidden them for fear of more tongue bites. Get 'em out and fire up with P. A., for you can go to it fancy-free from sun-up right down the line to the pillow-period!

And the sooner you know this little thing personally, the more joy's you'll be.

Prince Albert is sold everywhere in tippy red bags, 5c; tidy red tins, 10c; pound and half-pound tin humidors—and that classy pound crystal-glass humidor with sponge-moistener top that just beats the band for keeping P. A. fine like silk. You buy one quick.

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**HELMAR** 10c

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are the Rubber Heels the best people wear because they give the best wear. SLIPKNOT Rubber Heels make a long walk seem short and a rough road feel smooth to the tread.

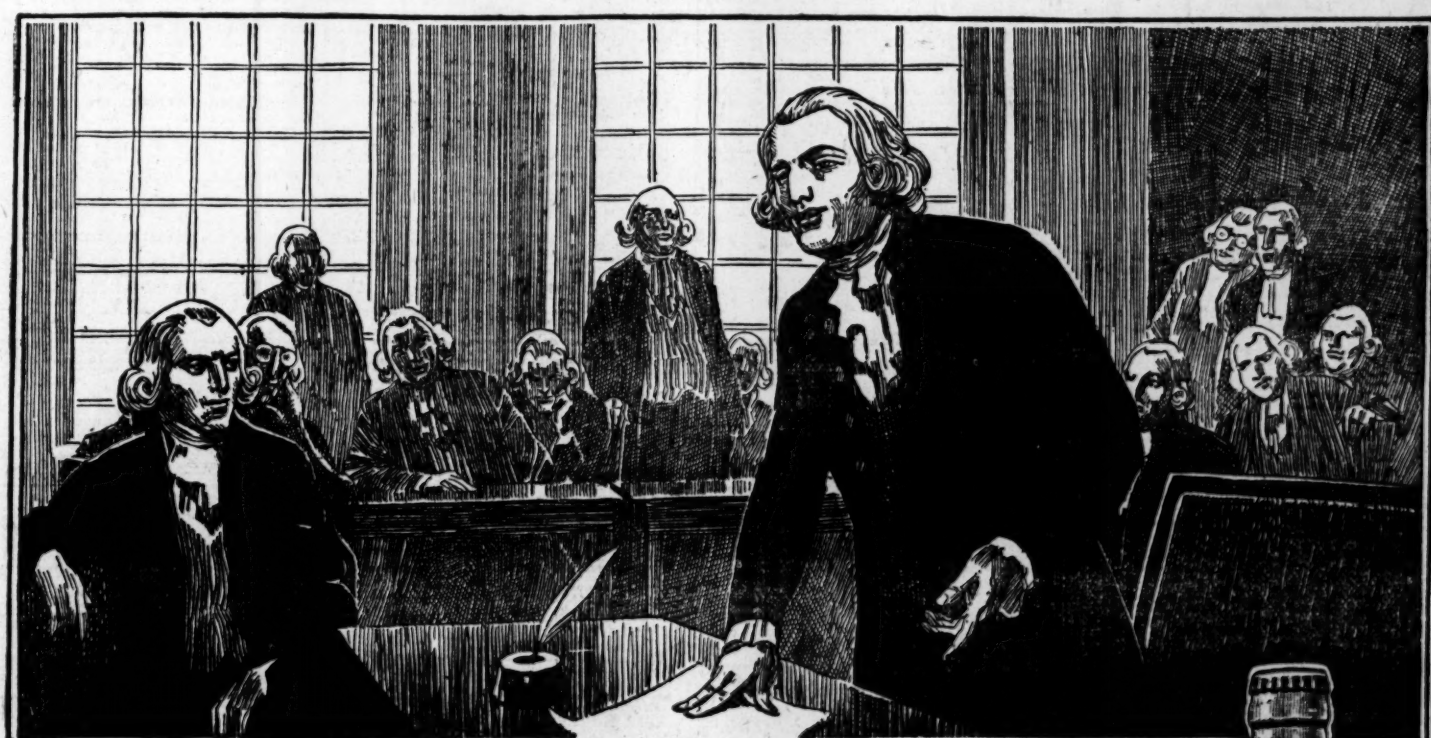
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## Alexander Hamilton—"Father of American Credit"

DANIEL WEBSTER says of Hamilton: "He smote the rock of National resources and abundant streams of revenue gushed forth; he touched the dead corpse of public credit and it sprang upon its feet." No man did more to build the Constitution of the United States than did Hamilton. He took a prominent part in every debate, and worked indefatigably on all the important committees. His genius, individuality and daring foresight are indelibly stamped upon every clause of our National Law—the law under which Americans are guaranteed for all time Religious, Commercial and Personal Liberty. During Hamilton's lifetime he used his great influence to encourage and protect the brewing industry. Among all the Fathers of the Republic none knew better than he that honestly-brewed barley-malt beers make for true temperance. This American Colossus, who was second only to Washington in the service rendered to his country, drank good beer all his days. We know of no one who has yet dared declare that it injured him in any way. Under the tenets of the Constitution, which Hamilton did so much to make a fact, Anheuser-Busch 3 years ago launched their great institution. During these years they have honestly brewed honest beers. Today 7500 people are daily required to meet the public demand. Their world-famed brand BUDWEISER because of its quality, purity, mildness and exquisite flavor, exceeds the sale of any other beer by millions of bottles.

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The action of E. S. S., the famous blood remedy, is a wave of health from the stomach to every other part of the body.

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# GERMANY WILL SINK MORE SHIPS, EVEN IF AMERICANS ARE ABOARD, DERNBURG SAYS

Kaiser's Spokesman Declares His Nation Is Compelled to Take Drastic Measures to Keep Contraband From Reaching Allies.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.  
NEW YORK, May 11.—Dr. Bernhard Dernburg, former Minister of colonies for the German empire and recognized in this country as the Kaiser's spokesman, said Monday night that Germany had only begun her deadly crusade against Great Britain's commerce. The sinking of the Lusitania will be followed by the destruction of other British ships, whether Americans are aboard or not.

"The American flag will not afford the slightest protection for vessels which carry cargo that the Germans regard as contraband," he declared. "Any ship carrying goods to Great Britain is to be sunk. England has been doing duty outside the outside world and we intend to isolate her in like manner so that all communication with other parts of the world will be impossible."

With closed eyes, Dr. Dernburg began his interview. He spoke with much deliberation.

"The Americans always have been friendly with Germany," he said, "and we want to maintain their friendship. These facts, however, must be borne in mind to appreciate the present situation in the proper light."

"There were 5000 cases of war material for the allies on board the Lusitania. I understand that something like 100 Americans were killed. I regret that very much. It was most unfortunate."

"Nevertheless, if this material had gotten into the allies' hands it would have been used against us, and they might have been able to pound their way into Germany through our lines and many more than 150 of our people might have been killed."

He cites British Order.

"The British Orders in Council were issued to exclude all kinds of material from reaching our civil population. They even placed an embargo on Holland, Denmark, Sweden, on penalty that they would be blockaded, and they are practically blockaded. It is therefore reasonable to believe that the German admiralty will not permit anything to get into the hands of the allies."

"Suffering is recognized in war. Unfortunately that must be, England is building submarines in her home yards and she is building them in the United States and put together in Montreal, Canada."

"England admits that with modern weapons of warfare she is not able to maintain all the old rules of war. Therefore she proclaimed a long-distance blockade. We also must use modern methods of warfare. Certainly it has been the usage of war that vessels could be stopped, seized and searched."

"Vessels that carried contraband could be destroyed if they could not be taken into port. That has been done by England. It has been customary to give innocent people warning and a chance to get away. A submarine is only 150 feet long. It has no accommodation for others than its crew of probably 24 men. Consequently they were unable to take off passengers. A submarine can be rammed at any moment and if the Lusitania had been warned she could have put on steam and was away. So, instead of giving warning to the Lusitania, Germany gave specific general notice before she sailed. That notice was ample."

As he said these words, Dr. Dernburg opened his eyes and showed his teeth in a smile, which hung to his ears features for some time. The former Colonial Secretary's expression took on a graver aspect, however, when he was asked:

"How can Americans, being neutral, have the right to travel the high seas in safety?"

"Any American," he answered, "traveling on an American boat under the American flag, will be safe. There is only one danger—the use of the American flag by a belligerent vessel; there are any number of neutral ships there also in this condition: An American ship or any other neutral vessel must carry no munitions of war. It is easy for an American who wants to travel to find this out. All ships make their manifests to the customs house, and they are public."

"Announcement could be made of these and lines held to their announcements. Everybody takes a risk if they want to. Anybody can commit suicide if he wants to."

"Germany issued her order fixing a war zone. England replied by her Orders in Council, requiring nations to ship nothing to Germany. Now shall Germany stop her submarine warfare? We would stop it, we announced, if England would stop her policy of starvation. England does not answer this. Germany is willing to maintain the Hague Convention rules. She does not want anything that is contraband."

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Dr. Dernburg was now talking freely. Suddenly he was interrupted by this question:

"What do you want?"

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as shields to get articles of war into the hands of the Lusitanians.

"The sinking of the Lusitania and the deaths of the Americans might have been avoided if our warning had been heeded. I am quite sure the Cunard line is to blame for not telling travelers they were carrying large quantities of contraband."

"I am satisfied that if Americans knew that they would not have sailed on the ship."

"Submarines must be used as they are capable of being used. We put in advertisements and were careful to put them in next to the advertisements of the Cunard Line's sailing dates. We know the Carolina has been doing duty outside of Sandy Hook. Suddenly the guns disappeared and the ship comes into port and the people are invited to go out on her. Where did the guns go?"

Here Dr. Dernburg was asked who was to be held responsible for the suits of damages that would be brought because of the death of American passengers. He said:

"These suits must be brought against the Cunard Line. The Cunard company is responsible."

One of the reporters at this juncture remarked: "You gave the Gulf light no warning. She was an American ship carrying the American flag and under American registry."

"That the American flag and American registry are no protection."

"Not if the ship carries contraband of war," answered Dr. Dernburg with emphasis on every word.

"Does that mean articles Germany considers contraband of war?" was asked.

"No. It means in the list of contraband published by Great Britain."

The report had just reached the hotel that because of threats the German Ambassador had asked the Washington authorities for an additional guard. This prompted someone to say:

"You feel perfectly safe, doctor, don't you?"

The agent of the German embassy pulled himself out of his chair, yawned, stretched his arms and said: "Well, I am not seeking American citizenship yet."

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"We have done and will do the best we can to avoid such things; but we cannot allow under any circumstances that Americans shall be used

## STOCK MARKET IS A LANCE BY WILSON'S SPEECH

President's Remarks Clear Speculative Atmosphere and Sharp Gains Follow.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.  
NEW YORK, May 11.—The Evening Post, in its copyrighted financial review today, says:

"What the President may himself have intended, Mr. Wilson's speech at Philadelphia yesterday evening appeared to be accepted by Wall Street, not only as an assurance that war with Germany would not be hastily incurred, but that no procedure which might be provocative to the Berlin Government would be adopted."

"Undoubtedly on this presumption, prices on the Stock Exchange opened with a spectacular overnight advance. Westinghouse shares, for instance, sold in the first transactions 5 1/2 points above yesterday's closing. In their initial sales, Bethlehem Steel was up 1/4, Amalgamated Copper 7/8, even the standard investment shares there were such advances at the very start as 3 1/2 in Reading, 3 1/2 in Union Pacific, and 3 1/2 in the Philadelphia stock."

"This sudden and violent readjustment of prices reflected, however, something more than the market's interpretation of the Philadelphia speech. It indicated the very large 'bear account' which has been accumulating with such rapidity yesterday, at the very time when important buying orders were placed in the market. Competition among these speculative sellers, to buy back their stocks at once, was the explanation of the curious opening."

"For the time at least the readjustment of values seemed to have been achieved in these first transactions. In a few stocks prices advanced still further during the first half hour, but the general movement was a decline from the opening level. This decline was extremely irregular. In some cases it extended to 2 points or more, and it affected the whole market. By noon, however, activity had greatly slackened and prices came to a standstill. This was followed by another and more deliberate upward movement in the last half hour."

"Among the day's announcements, in the field of routine news, was a sharp decline in exchange on London. The rate, which stood at 4 1/2 on Saturday, had been quoted at 4 1/2 on Friday, and sold down to 4 1/4 in the late street trading yesterday, and was quoted this morning at 4 1/4."

"This renewed movement in New York's favor drew attention to the day's statement from Washington as to last week's export of merchandise. The excess was \$20,550,000, which is about 11 percent above the average of April."

"If the present month's whole export surplus were to be in proportion to last week's, the balance would be \$30,000,000 larger on the export side than it was last week. It would exceed by that amount the highest previous May figure."

"The rate at which London was quoted at 14 to 17 points higher during the early trading on covering and some demand for the market had been well indicated by the decline in the value of the pound sterling in the London market."

"In London followed its customary practice one might suppose its financial people have bought, not sold, our stocks at the present prices of yesterday and Friday. This would, of course, depress exchange rates."

NEW YORK, May 11.—The stock market was very active today, and prices were fairly well maintained. The investment demand in the bond list was better than in several days.

United States bonds were not traded in, but the common and preferred were offered at yesterday's quotations without bids. The 4 1/2 point lower on sales at \$3.75.

National Bank of Commerce stock was steady on small trades at \$109 and \$109.50, and Mercantile Trust was wanted at \$100, with offers. The 4 1/2 point lower on sales at \$3.75.

National Candy first preferred stock was 1/2 point lower on a sale at \$38.50. Granite-Bimetall mining stock was 3 cents down, at 40 cents.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

Stock	Open	Close
Mechanics-American Nat'l	107 1/2	107 1/2
National Bank of Commerce	109 1/2	109 1/2
Granite-Bimetall	39 1/2	39 1/2
United States Steel	110 1/2	110 1/2
Amalgamated Copper	107 1/2	107 1/2
Westinghouse	110 1/2	110 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	110 1/2	110 1/2
Reading	110 1/2	110 1/2
Union Pacific	110 1/2	110 1/2
Philadelphia	110 1/2	110 1/2
Amalgamated Copper	107 1/2	107 1/2
Westinghouse	110 1/2	110 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	110 1/2	110 1/2
Reading	110 1/2	110 1/2
Union Pacific	110 1/2	110 1/2
Philadelphia	110 1/2	110 1/2

NEW YORK BOND SALES.

Bond	Price
1,000 U. S. 4 1/2	100 1/2
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NEW YORK PRODUCE.

Produce	Price
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NEW YORK COTTON.

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NEW YORK SUGAR.

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NEW YORK WHEAT.

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NEW YORK CORN.

Corn	Price
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NEW YORK SOYBEANS.

Soybeans	Price
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TUESDAY'S COMPARATIVE FUTURE QUOTATIONS.  
Reported by St. Louis Merchants' Exchange.

ST. LOUIS, May 11.

WHEAT.

Wheat	Open	High	Low	Close
St. Louis	121 1/2	122 1/2	121 1/2	122 1/2
Chicago	121 1/2	122 1/2	121 1/2	122 1/2
Minneapolis	121 1/2	122 1/2	121 1/2	122 1/2
Toledo	121 1/2	122 1/2	121 1/2	122 1/2

CORN.

Corn	Open	High	Low	Close
St. Louis	75 1/2	76 1/2	75 1/2	76 1/2
Chicago	75 1/2	76 1/2	75 1/2	76 1/2
Minneapolis	75 1/2	76 1/2	75 1/2	76 1/2
Toledo	75 1/2	76 1/2	75 1/2	76 1/2

SOYBEANS.

Soybeans	Open	High	Low	Close
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# The Jarr Family

Written for the Post-Dispatch  
By Roy L. McCordell

Good Mrs. Jarr, as Lady Bountiful, Buys Chafing Dishes for the Poor.

"W"as just had a lovely day today," said Mrs. Jarr, bustling in with a happy smile and heightened color. Mr. Jarr, who had reached home before her, expressed himself as pleased that it had been a fabulous day for his wife.

"I suppose you were shopping," he suggested.

"You always suppose I have been shopping," said Mrs. Jarr, "but I'd like to know what money I have to go shopping on? Of course, I should go shopping; the children need school coats, and the way little Emma has outgrown those dresses I bought for her last fall is very disheartening."

"Wouldn't it be more disheartening if little Emma didn't grow at all?"

"Yes, I suppose so," said the lady of the house, "but, then, when one does spend quite some money late in the season on clothes for children and have to put them away till the spring and be worried sick all the time for fear the moths will get in them, and then to take them out and find they are almost too small for the child, although you got them two years older in size when you bought them—it is annoying!"

"Why did you buy clothes for this spring last fall, then?"

"Because it was a sale at the end of the season, and they were so cheap," replied Mrs. Jarr. "Why, I couldn't have bought the materials for that money, let alone the making of them."

"How about Willie, asked Mr. Jarr. 'You didn't buy ahead for him?'"

"Indeed, I did not," said Mrs. Jarr.

"I can't buy clothes to keep up with the way he wears them out, let alone buying anything ahead for him. And yet, when I come in and tell you I have had a pleasant day, you ask me if I have been shopping."

"I thought you enjoyed shopping more than anything," said Mr. Jarr.

"I was at Mrs. Stryver's," said Mrs. Jarr. "We formed a Helping Hand Society, and Mrs. Stryver had on a beautiful new dress. She has such lovely things that, as Mrs. Hickett said, it makes one almost wish one had a chance to steal them from the fat old thing."

"That would have been in keeping with the function of a Helping Hand Society, wouldn't it?" asked Mr. Jarr.

"The Helping Hand Society was formed for deeds of practical charity," said Mrs. Jarr, "and not to commit larceny. We resolved that everybody should contribute 50 cents, and that we would buy some practical gift for the poor and deserving person of family in the neighborhood."

"Did you propose the name of the Jarr family?" asked Mr. Jarr. "They are poor, I know, and deserving, I hope."

"Now, don't joke," said Mrs. Jarr. "Then whom did you select as the victim? I mean as the beneficiary?"

"Why," replied Mrs. Jarr, "we decided that poor old Mrs. Mullany, who has been laid up with rheumatism so long, was the most deserving. You know the poor old soul is a scrubwoman when she can work, so everybody present contributed a half dollar. And as there were nine of us present, that made four dollars and a half."

"What practical donation did you make her? The money?"

"Oh, no, she's got a son that drinks, might have taken it and spent it," Mrs. Jarr. "Mrs. Stryver suggested a set of cut glass, because cut glass is acceptable; but we voted that 'cause it wasn't a practical gift, we were going to send her a nice thing."

"Splendid!" said Mr. Jarr. "You won't forget to have it put on?"

"We never thought of that!" Mrs. Jarr.

"Language is beyond my ken," Complained old Mr. Hutch, "For I know that the closest men are the ones I cannot touch."

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A "PEG" company struck a one-night stand in Missouri two months ago where a temperance lecturer was holding forth. Liquor, just at that time, wasn't very popular in the town. The theater had not been doing very well and the local manager, a hardware man, was mad about it. At noon the day the "Peg" troupe arrived the temperance lecturer was to make an address on the main corner. The theater manager had been selected to introduce him.

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In a Friend's Automobile.

When you're invited to make one of a party that is going to take a long spin next Sunday, accept reluctantly, suggesting that you have many fascinating invitations for that day, but that if it will help your friend entertain the party he has to take out, you will do that little thing for him gladly.

2. When one of the gushy ladies remarks: "Isn't it a LOVE of a car!" draw loudly enough for the owner to hear: "Oh, I daresay it's a satisfactory machine to people who aren't particular about the car they drive. They say it's as good as any AT THE PRICE."

3. As the host, who does his own driving, turns into a road that is profusely marked as leading to the party's objective point, raise your voice in protest, thus: "Why on earth do you take this bum road, Ed? If only you'd turn to the left you'd find it much prettier and easier going. When will motorists learn not to be a flock of geese and waddle whichever way the sign points? Be original. Strike a new trail. Do something the fellow ahead of you hasn't done." This will convince the ladies that you're a regular pioneer and the owner a dub.

4. Interfere further with the driving, this way: "Say, why do you go up a hill like this on third? Isn't your engine missing enough to suit you? You don't have to show us what your car will do—we're not going to buy it. And the way you jam on the brakes. Is enough to tear a fellow's gizzard loose. Have a heart!"

5. When you stop at a roadhouse, observe lightly: "I don't care about a drink, Ed. I'll just sit out here in the car and smoke a cigarette, so you won't have to tip any of these guys for keeping their eye on it, for you." Then when he comes out, after having coughed up four-seventy for drinks, say, in a stage aside: "Say, old man, I hope you didn't think I reneged on account of the price. I'm perfectly willing to split the check with you," etc.

6. When you're deposited at your door, set out of the car as though you're crippled for life, and, in stating your sincere appreciation of the treat, remark that you think a hot bath, an alcohol rub, perfect rest for a week and the aid of a skillful physician may help you to recover from the effects. Wind up with: "So good of you, old top, to have asked me to be one of the jolly party! Only next time I'd take an anchor along." This sounds complex, and in worrying about just what you meant, he may run over a couple of people on the way back to the garage!

## Don't Ever Let Anyone Tell You This is a New One.

"I DON'T understand why your three daughters don't marry, Mr. Bliffkins. They're such model girls."

"Now you've said it! That's just the trouble. They're last-year models."

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